

FAILURE CAUSES SECOND MINERS WORKING UNDER GUARD



United States Troops' Camp on Combination Hill, Goldfield, Nevada.
(Photograph taken especially for The Tribune by Welch & Tunc.)

GEN. FUNSTON IS
AWAITED AT
GOLDFIELD

Soldiers Are Kept Within
Guard Lines and No
Visitors Allowed.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 12.—Fifty-six men are at work at the mill and under-ground in the Mohawk Combing iron mine. More than one hundred miners have signed the agreement required by the mine owners' association, but only the miners mentioned appeared at 7 o'clock. There was no indication of the fact and the pickets of the union are not strongly in evidence. The miners attempted to remain this morning.

ARE HEAVILY GUARDED.

Deputy constables to the number of ten and detectives and guards of the mine owners are guarding the district around Combination hill. The majority

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MURDER, SAYS
DOCTOR, AT
AUTOPSY

BERKLEY, Dec. 12.—Michael Simon, the man who was attacked in West Berkley some time ago, died this morning of his injuries. Dr. A. J. Benten, at the autopsy held today, gives it as his opinion that it is a case of murder.

The night that he was injured he had been intruded into the singing section of Herman's Song and was left some blocks from his home by George Jacobson and John Culhoun. He left them at about 11:40 p. m. and went to his home. At about 2 o'clock Simon was found in the front yard by his niece, Mrs. Rasplin. He was unconscious and bleeding from the head and nose. Before Simon died he told the police that as he entered the yard he was struck in the face by some one but could not distinguish his assailant's features.

The police did not credit Simon's statement, but thought he had been drinking and must have fallen. However, now that he has died, further inquiry will be made by the police as to the cause of his death.

This is taken as a practical verification of the rumors that have been afloat in the city for the last week to the effect that the "curly boss" will be al-

RUEF HAD \$15,000 IN DEFUNCT BANK

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The books of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company show that Eugene E. Schmitz, now in the County Jail, had \$17,44 in the bank, while Abraham Ruef had \$16,598.72. Six thousand dollars of the funds of the Teachers' Annuity Association, intended for the aid of aged or retired members, were also deposited in the institution.

WALKER MAKES CLEAN BREAST OF KNOWLEDGE

President of Defunct Bank Tells All to the
District Attorney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Accompanied by W. H. Chickering, his attorney, David F. Walker, president of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, today called at the office of Assistant District Attorney Francis J. Heney and had before the latter all knowledge that he had of the conduct and state of affairs in the failed institution. Mr. Walker last night, in a statement given out by him, practically laid all responsibility for the condition of the bank upon the shoulders of J. Dalzell Brown, its general manager.

STATEMENT TAKEN DOWN.

HENRY ADMITS RUEF WILL GET IMMUNITY

Curly Boss to Go Free if He Takes Stand
Against Calhoun.

(Special to The Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—That the prosecution plans to give Abe Ruef complete immunity to testify against Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, was practically admitted by Special Prosecutor Francis J. Heney this afternoon. Asked point blank if he intended to give Ruef immunity, Heney replied:

"It may be necessary. The public seems to demand it and we may grant it. But remember that I am playing poker and not showing my hand."

This is taken as a practical verification of the rumors that have been afloat in the city for the last week to the effect that Ruef would be allowed to go free.

COMPOSERS SAY 'CANNED MUSIC' IS DIRECT BLOW TO THEIR ART

Delegation to Protest to Congress Against the Bill

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—What John Philip Sousa once called "canned music" will again be a subject for discussion in Congress this year. A delegation of composers will go to Washington next week to protest against the copyright bill introduced the other day by Congressman

Courrier. If this bill becomes a law the use of music for phonographic records and performed rolls for mechanical piano players will not be considered an infringement of copyright.

Composers declare that the enactment of this law would be a direct blow to

the art, as it will rob a composer of the right to the product of his own brain.

The delegation which will go to Washington will include Victor Herbert, John Philip Sousa, John Edward, A. Baldwin Sloane, Henry Blossom, George Hobart and Glen MacDonough.

Editorial rooms of THE TRIBUNE

ACCUSED BANKER VISITS CHIEF OF POLICE

Brown Asked Question
Which He Refuses
to Answer.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Something of a thrill was experienced by the numerous persons in the corridors of the Hall of Justice about 9:30 this morning when J. Dalzell Brown, accompanied by Sergeant Coogan, made a quiet little trip from the city prison to the office of the chief of police.

It was whispered that the general manager of the California Safe De-

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ORCHARD TELLS OF MAKING BOMB

Witness Relates How Bradley
Was Blown Into Street by
Explosion of Bomb.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 12.—The direct examination of Harry Orchard was resumed in the trial of George A. Pettibone this morning.

Orchard told of his trip to San Francisco and of locating the residence of Fred Bradley, whom he said he had been instructed to put out of the way. All communications received by him while in

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STABS SAILOR IN FIGHT ON SHIP

Detectives Arrest Alleged As-
sailant as He Leaves Vessel
in Small Boat.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Jacob Blackweller, a sailor on the German bark Crown, is locked up in the tanks at the city prison charged with assault to

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BOY WANTED

Boy with bicycle; apply at Edi-

torial rooms of THE TRIBUNE

DEMOCRATS TO HOLD MEETING IN DENVER

City Pledges \$100,000
to Expenses of the
Convention.

DENVER GOT THE DEMOCRA-
TIC CONVENTION ON SECOND
BALLOT.

The first ballot resulted:
Denver 20, Louisville 18, Chicago 5,
St. Paul 1.

Another ballot was immediately taken. When the second ballot reached Illinois, Mr. Sullivan withdrew Chicago as a candidate and his action was immediately followed by Mr. Woodson in withdrawing Louisville. Denver was then selected by acclamation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The Demo-

cratic national committee met at 12:00 p. m. The States which failed to respond to the roll call were Arkansas, California, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Montana, North Dakota, Texas and Okla-

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BANK CASHIER KILLS HIMSELF

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A dispatch from Kankakee, Ill., says:

R. F. Easton, 48 years old, cashier of the State Bank of Herscher, a small town near Chicago, in that city, committed suicide in his safe last night by shooting himself in the head.

Easton was well and favorably known. He had been cashier of the bank since he had been cashier of the bank since

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GOVERNMENT MAY AGREE NOT TO PROSECUTE E. H. HARRIMAN

Negotiating to This End and for New U. P.-S. P. Deal

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A dispatch from Washington, D. C., says:

Negotiations are under way between the attorney-general and E. H. Harriman looking to an agreement by which the Southern Pacific will abandon all its direct control of the Southern Pacific, in return for which the government will agree not to prosecute E. H. Harriman for violation of the anti-trust law and of the restrictive clauses in the interstate commerce law.

The negotiations have not actually been concluded, but they have reached

a stage where it is believed an agree-

ment will be entered into.

The Southern Pacific is to be organized as a separate corporation and the Union Pacific will take over the old Con-

tinental, or vice versa, or its competing lines will be stopped.

Whether this agreement not to prosec-

ute Mr. Harriman and Mr. Harriman's

agreement to keep it a secret between

the two companies when he controls the trans-continental lines he controls will

result in my benefit to the public is

doubtful, but technically the triumph of

the government is assured.

SUICIDE DEPOSITOR PREFERS DEATH TO THE LOSS OF ALL HIS MONEY

Attempts to End His Life as Result
of California Safe Deposit
Smash.

Special to The Tribune)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The insolvency of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company will probably be responsible for a second death. Thomas Norby, despondent and despairing, attempted suicide at an early hour this morning solely because he never expected to recover any of the \$700 which after much saving, he had succeeded in laying up in the defunct institution.

Norby, who has been living at 225 Waller street, has been a depositor of the bank for some time. The failure of the institution and a depression affecting many and several other persons living in the house had rung on his disconsolate mood. Last night Norby retired at the usual hour and deliberately set about to end his existence. Taking a jagged razor he first slashed at his right wrist in an effort to sever the artery, and then inflicted a deep slash across his throat.

ATTEMPT FRUSTRATED.

Fearing that the attempt might not be successful, he turned on the gas and, throwing himself upon the couch, lay down. As he thought, to die. Other lodgers slept in the other rooms of the house, and looked in the door. A call was sent in for the ambulance and the man was taken to the Central Emergency Hospital, where Dr. Beasley worked over him for over an hour. At 12 o'clock today it was said that the man had little chance of recovery.

On Norby's person was found, besides a few private papers, his bankbook on the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, showing a deposit of \$700. The man is about 45 years old, a clerk by occupation, and is not known to have any relatives in this city.

GRANDFATHER AND BABY ALMOST BURNED TO DEATH

Helpless Inmates of Flaming Refugee
Cottage Rescued by Brave
Policeman.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Battling for the lives of himself and his twenty-eight month-old grandchild, Thomas Golden was rescued from the burning building shortly after 3 o'clock this morning by Policeman J. J. Farrell who broke down the door and carried the still burning forms to the street where the fire was rapidly extinguished by numbers of willing hands.

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Golden and his grandchild were asleep in a refugee cottage on Clara street near Bush when his baby started a fire. Golden had left a coal oil stove burning throughout the night. Close by some clothes belonging to the baby were hanging, and it is thought that these became ignited and the little building was soon a blazing furnace. Golden woke up to find his

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Accused Banker Visits the Chief of Police

BROWN REFUSES TO ANSWER QUESTIONS

Attorney For Colton Estate Fails to Get Information.

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post & Trust Co. had at length found a friend and secured bail, but that was not all of the gossip. It was rumored further that Mr. Brown was to be put through a sweating process such as is frequently done with other prisoners—a cased of felony, when information is desired from them. Other reasons also were ascribed as to what had brought Mr. Brown from the prison to the chief's office in company with the acting captain of the prison.

None of the guesses were correct, however. Within the secret portals of the heart of the police department there walked Attorney Crittenden Thornton, and no question of his was put to Brown by the lawyer. The nature of the question would not be revealed by Chief Biggy, but it is known that Brown refused to answer it, saying that he would have to consult with his attorney.

Why it was necessary for the prisoner to be transferred from his cell to the chief's office to have one question asked him was not explained, but it is evident that Mr. Thornton must have wanted a witness to the answer which he hoped to receive.

Claim Brown Has Made Confession Which Will Send Him to Prison

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—By his own confession, J. Dalzell Brown, former manager of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, stands in the shadows of the prison walls. According to Bank Commissioners Sherer and Garretto, Brown confessed to them ten days ago that he had made false entries in the books in connection with the entries for loans to the Bowing Green and Interurban banks of New York. Commissioner Sherer this morning stated that Brown's confession had been made only after a sweating lasting several hours and after he had been plied down. In discussing the matter this morning Commissioner Sherer said:

ENTRIES WERE FALSE.

"Brown admitted to us that the entries of \$100,000 each made in connection with the Bowing Green and Interurban banks were false. What drew our attention to them in particular was that no vouchers for these entries could be found. Brown at first attempted to explain them with a maze of sophistry, but after a lengthy examination he admitted that the entries did not represent legitimate transactions."

"I do not know anything regarding any other account. These are being investigated by an expert who has been working on the books for the last three days. When his report is made other points may be developed. Until that time nothing can be said."

Commissioner Garretto also affirmed Sheriff's statement.

BROWN IS SILENT.

When seen at the jail Brown smilingly refused to discuss the statements of the commissioners.

"It really is useless to question me regarding anything," said he, while he continued to smile and smoke. "I have nothing to say. I will not discuss the statements of the commissioners or anyone else. I do not care what they say. They can say what they like." And the smile broadened.

"You know it is really humorous," he continued. "I am innocent of any wrongdoing and will say nothing further."

"My bonds?" Well, I may get them soon. It will be exceedingly welcome. I really am anxious to obtain my release. No; I do not care to remain here. The quarters are not quite as commodious as they might be."

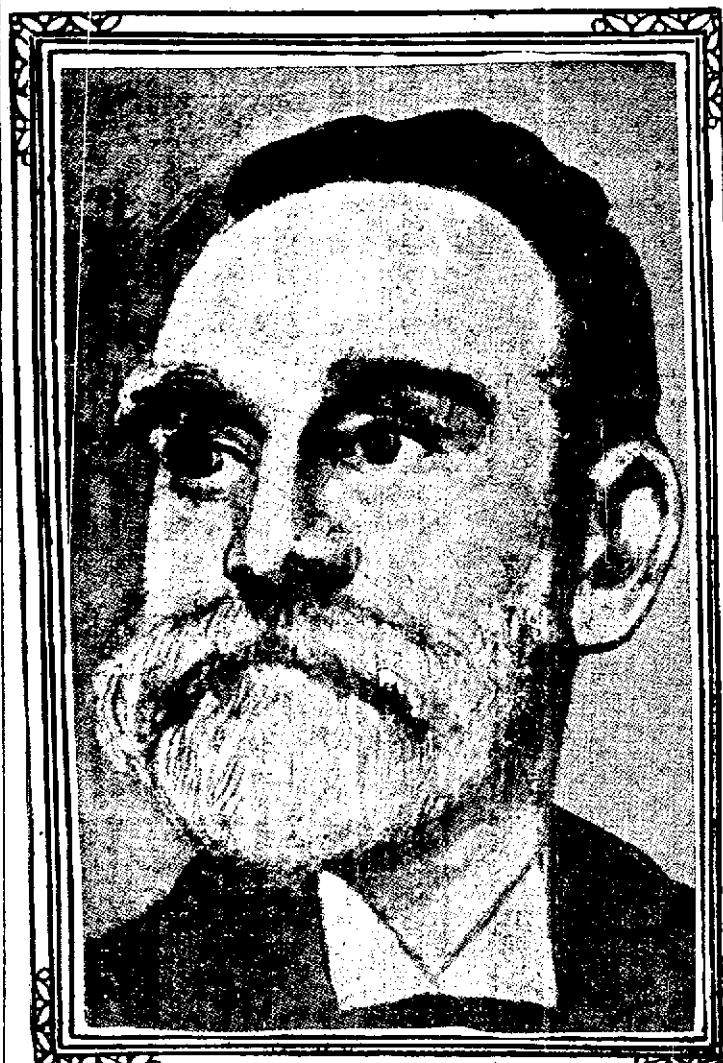
"Where did I go this morning with Sergeant Coogan?" Well, that is my business," and the smile became broader.

FEELS POSITION.

But despite the nonchalance of the financier there are many little things which indicate that he feels keenly his position. His hand trembles now at all times, and when he went into the jail sergeant's office to speak to a friend he carefully drew the window shades to prevent passing people from seeing him. As the days pass and a clearer insight into the methods of the banker is gained, his likeness to Abe Ruef, the fallen boss, becomes more pronounced. Both are similar in all their ways, and at home behind the bars, Brown lay down on the floor of the cell about 11 o'clock last night and slept until he was aroused. This morning he was not among the banker shows the effect of his jail life. His brown suit is becoming spotted and stained; the trousers are baggy and the collar and cuffs are dirty. Even his hands show the lack of water.

GOOD HUMOR UNCHANGED.

But his good humor has not changed, and he is anyone who desires to talk to him in a confounding manner, as though he were still head of the bank. Brown had nothing to say regarding Fred Walker. He was excepted to say that Walker was conversant with all the affairs of the bank. Walker and Bartlett have, however, denied all responsibility in any affair connected with the affairs of the bank and particularly the missing Colton bonds. They place all the responsibility on Brown and say without qualification that Brown is alone to blame. Bartlett has admitted that he learned of the disappearance of the bonds a late date. Walker left his home in San Mateo last night. He was accompanied by his wife and daughter. Before leaving Attorney Chickerling's office last night Walker was shown the receipt for the bonds which he was alleged to have



PRESIDENT D. F. WALKER OF THE CALIFORNIA SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY.

Women Mourn Suicide Of T. Otway Sadlier in Their Berkeley Homes

BERKELEY, Dec. 12.—According to her friends, Miss Mary Millar of 2540 College avenue, Berkeley, is prostrated with grief over the death of T. Otway Sadlier, the local banker who killed himself yesterday.

Friends of Miss Millar say the relationship between the man who took his life in the back room of the Devildadore street branch of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company and the Berkeley lady who weeps at the news of his death were very tender. Sadlier was a constant visitor at 2540 College avenue, where Miss Mary Millar keeps a boarding house for the elite of the college girls. Miss Millar's boarders said last night that they understood that she was engaged to be married to Sadlier.

But Miss Mary Millar is not the only woman who weeps for Sadlier. If the letter of "Che," which, by the way, bears a Berkeley date, was written from the heart.

This note says: "And for heaven's sake don't call me 'Molly' again. I've no doubt the habit has become strong upon you from constant association with Mary M., whose name is 'Molly,' I presume, but it's rather rubbing it in on me."

"Che," to T. Otway Sadlier.

DENIES SHE IS SISTER.

Mrs. Lee G. F. Quayle, wife of Captain L. G. F. Quayle, a sea captain, denied the statement made in a morning paper this morning that she is a sister of T. Otway Sadlier, the manager of the West End Branch of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, who committed suicide yesterday by blowing out his brains with a shotgun. "Mr. Sadlier was a life long friend of my husband," said Mrs. Quayle to a representative of THE TRIBUNE. "They having been born and spent their earlier years in adjoining counties in North Ireland, near the town of Belfast. T. Otway Sadlier Jr., a nephew of the dead banker, was a college chum of my husband in the Belfast University, in Ireland, and the two played together on the same football team. When we came to San Francisco, several years ago, one of the first gentlemen that we met was Mr. Sadlier, and the acquaintance was renewed.

WAS TRUSTED FRIEND.

"My mother and I reached San Francisco a few days ago from the East, having come by steamer, and before leaving wrote, asking Mr. Sadlier if we might be allowed to have our mail forwarded to his banking office, as he was a trusted friend of the family. We had almost decided to forward our money and deposit it with the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, but fortunately for us, changed our minds, and left it with the banks in New York. Soon after registering at the Hotel Richmond we went to the West End Branch, and got our mail which Mr. Sadlier had received for us. We only saw him a moment at that time as he was very busy.

"As for his being a frequent visitor at the house where I was staying in Berkeley, is not true. He came to see me once. And the personal letter which some newspaper writers took from among the personal effects of the deceased man, that was written to ask the address of a dentist, and contained some allusions of interest only to Mr. Sadlier, my husband and myself. I added my Berkeley address, and signed it with "Che," which Mr. Sadlier once told Mr. Quayle and myself, was Italian word for 'chum.' The letter was written over a year ago."

"From all I know of Mr. Sadlier I do not think that he was aware of the condition of the man's finances. He was an Irish gentleman of the Old School, and the very soul of courtesy and honor."

ACTIVE DELEGATES.

The representatives of Denver and Louisville were especially active, and not a few of the committee men were sounded before breakfast. Denver was urgent with its tempting guarantees of a bonus of \$100,000, and many of the committee men were willing to admit that the offer was a pleasing one, saying that but for the distance and the expense of the trip they would be willing to accept. Louisville's offer was not so definite and Denby Goods, who was the principal spokesman for that city, admitted that it was not prepared to make a definite offer until he should hear from home. Louisville, it is known, is in condition to offer a commodious convention hall and the cash which the city can raise may range anywhere from \$30,000 to \$150,000.

Charles W. Franklin of Denver was the first speaker to be heard in advocacy of the claims of any of the cities as a place for holding the convention.

VAST AUDITORIUM.

He spoke of the ample accommodations both in the matter of hotels and the auditorium, which he said was built by the city at a cost of \$500,000 and was capable of holding 14,000 persons. He made strong point of the climate of Denver. He declared the railroad facilities to be ample in every respect.

Continuing, Franklin said that since 1882 there has not been a national convention beyond the geographical center of the United States. He said the people of the West had been paying the additional fare to the eastern cities for all these years and that now came the time to give them the advantage of the reduced rates they would get if the convention should be slated in Denver.

WAIT FOR FUNSTON.

General Funston is expected to arrive at 1:30, but his appearance will not affect the situation at once. The regulars are kept within the guard lines and no visitors are allowed. No excitement has been seen anywhere and people in the city are going about their business as usual. All the mines are picketed.

AWAITING FUNSTON

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of the men are at work above ground. They will be off at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the end of an eight-hour shift and work will close for the day at that time. The mine owners say that a few of the new men, sent from other camps where they have independently and decided to work regardless of the Western Federation. The union leaders say they are well satisfied with the situation and claim they are inducing many from the outside and many of the local miners not to go to work under the lowered scale.

PLANT IN OPERATION.

The plant of the Nevada-California Power Company is still in full operation with but one man in charge here, and there will be no trouble from this source unless an unexpected break occurs. Nine of the regular employees refused to go to work at the reduced wages this morning. The maintenance men on the line outside of the city have not been heard from.

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AGED MAN AND BABY

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Sam Francisco, the witness said, came from Petaluma and the money received came from him. Money, he said, came both by registered letter and by telegraph.

Pettibone, he said, generally signed the name of "Pat Bone," a name frequently used by the defendant. Orchard said he went under the name of Harry Green, while in San Francisco.

The witness explained his various plans for killing Bradley, including the placing of poison in three bottles of milk left on the porch of his residence. Falling in this Orchard said he made a bomb and placed it under the mat at Bradley's front door. The bomb he said he made in his room. When the explosion occurred Bradley was blown into the middle of the street and badly injured and the residence damaged.

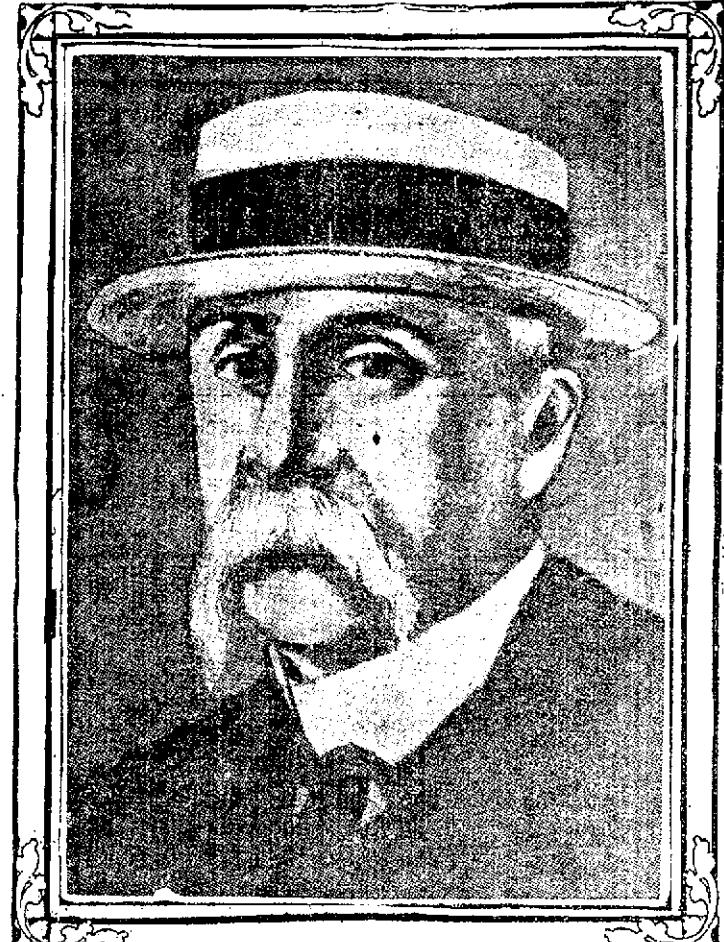
BANK CASHIER

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Its organization and was one of its stockholders. He was married and leaves a widow and two children.

When the recent call for the condition of all the State banks in California was made, the auditor had made one of the best reports that was sent out from this section of the State. The report showed the institution to be in excellent condition.

The bank is capitalized for \$25,000 and carries deposits of \$100,000.



T. OTWAY SADLIER, THE DEAD BANKER.

CAPTURE 1,000,000 LOTTERY TICKETS

Oakland Police Raid and Demolish Furniture in Chinese Gambling Agency.

Under the direction of Sergeant Brown the police made a second raid in the Chinese section last evening, tearing down a quantity of shingling in what is known as the distributing agency for the Chinese lottery agents at Second and Webster streets.

Besides the destruction of the shingling and tables in the place, 1,000,000 unmarked lottery tickets, marking pens, brushes and other articles were taken by the police to the city prison, where they are held as evidence.

The ruff of Tuesday night in Franklin street, in which about two wagon-loads of tables, chairs and other furniture was smashed into kindling wood with sledgehammers and axes, and the raid last night were conducted under the power of search warrants.

The search warrant cases were called before Police Judge Smith this morning, and after an argument for a return of the property by Attorney Phil Walsh on behalf of the Chinese, Judge Smith ordered the property given into the hands of the chief of police, by him to be destroyed.

The police say they are determined to carry on the raids of destruction until they have captured all the Chinese lottery agents in the city and before they are held as evidence.

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BANDIT SARAOFF, KIDNAPER OF MISS ELLEN STONE, SHOT DEAD

WANTED TO TAKE CONSTANTINOPLE

**Noted Revolutionist, Who Planned
Turkey's Overthrow, Killed at
Home by Macedonian.**

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Dec. 12.—Boris Saraooff, the most famous of all the leaders of the Bulgarian band in Macedonia, was shot dead at the threshold of his house today by a Macedonian, who at the same time shot and killed another revolutionary chief named Garvaouff, while the latter was in the act of bidding Saraooff farewell.

Boris Saraooff was appointed commander of the Macedonian revolutionary forces that made so much trouble in the summer of 1903. His name was prominent in all the uprisings in Macedonia against the Turks, and he has been described as the most romantic figure in the Balkans. He was popularly believed and stated to be the real instigator of the abduction of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, from the Vilayet of Saloniki in September, 1901, in order to procure, through her ransom, funds to enable the Macedonian revolutionary committee to organize the insurrection.

SWORE REVENGE.

His hatred for Turks was acquired at an early age through seeing his father and grandfather tortured, dragged off in chains to a dungeon and then exiled for fifteen years. At the age of 14 he attacked, single-handed, the prison in which his father and grandfather were confined, but he was flogged for his pains. The boy swore to revenge himself on the Turks, and to this end became an officer in the Bulgarian army.

In 1903 Saraooff organized a band to raid Turkish territory and since then has headed no less than 330 daring raids. Once he captured the Turkish town of Melnik with forty men, putting the garrison to flight.

\$20,000 ON HEAD.

Saraooff was familiar with hundreds of miles of tracks through forests and over the mountains of Turkey. His aim was the organization of a vast rebellion with the object of seizing Constantinople and overthrowing Turkish rule. The Turkish government set a price of \$20,000 on his head. He was about 37 years old.

Saraooff was the organizer of the Macedonian committee. His prominence in Macedonian agitations and his dictatorial methods made him many enemies among his own followers.



REVOLUTIONARY LEADER BORIS SARAOFF, NOTED

SAYS ATTACK WAS MADE AT SICK BED

**Women Renew Old Fued at Bed-
side of Afflicted
Neighbor.**

Alleging that she was struck on the head and neck Mrs. Emma Verwiebe of Allendale swore to a complaint in Judge Geary's court this morning against Mrs. Martha Bergenthal, who Mrs. Verwiebe says chased her down the street, assaulting her with her fist as the result of some argument they had while visiting a sick lady in Allendale.

By the side of the sick bed the two neighbors quarreled. Mrs. Bergenthal it is alleged, struck Mrs. Verwiebe on the back of the neck and on the head while in the room and Mrs. Verwiebe left the room she says to get out of Mrs. Bergenthal's reach and then Mrs. Verwiebe was followed by Mrs. Bergenthal who, it is claimed, still pursued until the screams for help of the former brought a neighbor on the scene.

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**Open Evenings
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GALLAGHER HEARD FROM AT LAST

**Wires Prosecution • That He
Will Reach Here
Tuesday.**

(Special to The Tribune.)

**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The un-
expected has happened. Big Jim Gallag-
her has promised to show up on Jan-
uary 8, the date set for the trial of the
case of Patrick Calhoun.**

**A telegram dated in Chicago was re-
ceived by the Hustlers' Club on Saturday even-
ing, December 14, 1907, at Foresters' Hull,
Thirteenth and Clay streets. Unusual inter-
est has been taken in the affair by the
members and it is expected that a large
crowd will be in attendance. The prizes
are on exhibition at the "Toggery," Elev-
enth and Washington streets.**

**And a sympathetic tear comes as near
being a panacea for all feminine troubles
as anything on the market.**

FAMOUS SCIENTIST IS CRITICALLY ILL

**LONDON, Dec. 12.—Grave anxiety is
felt here regarding the condition of Lord
Kelvin, the famous scientist. He has
been critically ill for some time and to-
day he was reported to be worse.**

POLICE ARREST MAN WHO REPORTS THEFT

**I. Anderson, a laborer, reported to
Sergeant Nuligrew and Policeman
Tusher last night that he had been
held up and robbed of some small
change at 9 o'clock by two men, one
of whom he pointed out to the police-
man. The man was taken into cus-
tody and gave the name of W. F.
Sharp, waiter at present out of em-
ployment. He denied ever having
seen Anderson before but will be held
pending an investigation of the charge
against him.**

**According to the police, Anderson
was under the influence of liquor when
he made his report of the hold-up and
he was held at the city prison last
night and today.**

ATTORNEY HANGS OUT SHINGLE IN OAKLAND

**Benjamin R. Aikin, a graduate of the
Cornell law school with the class of 1903,
has opened a law office in this city at
957 Broadway. Aikin was admitted to
the bar in New York in 1903 and was ad-
mitted on motion in this State in 1905. He
has been in Judge John Lyon's office for
some time and for the last two and a
half years was attorney for the Stocker
and Holland Abstract Company.**

MYSTERIOUS GRATING SOUND SENDS OFFICERS ON JUMP TO PRISON CELL IN THE CITY JAIL

**Much excitement was created at police headquarters at 4 o'clock yes-
terday afternoon because of the attempt of a prisoner in the City Jail to
reach fresh air from his prison cell. He was successful in his attempt, but
still is in custody.**

**The prisoner was J. F. Upson, serving a year's sentence on a charge
of criminal libel, preferred by Mayor Parker Lyon of Fresno, and to which
charge Upson pleaded guilty.**

**He was caught at work in his fresh-air crusade through the fact that
he was heard to walk by Police Captain Mott.**

**The man, poor in health, was at work as a workman against the
walls of the City Jail. Mott heard a grating noise similar to that made by
a hack-saw blade cutting steel. He listened for a time to make sure that
he was right and then rushed into police headquarters, where he reported
his suspicion.**

**In a minute all was bustle at the police headquarters. The officers,
headed by Chief of Police Wilson, took up their station at a point where
it was thought the escape would be made. They could see something
working back and forth between the grating covering the air ventila-
tor and the floor above, and soon spied out over it and checked it up. Upson wanted
more fresh air and put Gonzales to work opening up the ventilator.**

**As this the police officials took a deep breath of fresh air themselves
and returned to their duties, still nervous from the "show."**

DEPOSITORS PLAN NEW BANK ON WRECK OF OLD

Committee Appointed to Arrange Scheme for Reopening of Defunct California Trust Company.

**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The day and discussed the plan which
affairs of the California Safe Deposit
& Trust Company are at the present
time in charge of Attorney Cushing,
who succeeded former Bank Commis-
sioner Dunsmaur. Cushing stated he
was merely superintending the check-
ing of accounts until the receiver is
appointed and that as yet nothing new
in regard to the bank's affairs has
been brought to light.**

**The stockholders of the defunct in-
stitution are planning to launch a new
bank out of the wreck of the old one.
At a meeting to be held in Dreamland
Rink tonight the plan will be gone
throughly. This plan is the out-
come of a number of suggestions that
have been made by the different
factions into which the depositors
were split. Judge Carroll Cook is one
of the most native. In the
plan. Judge Cook yesterday an-
nounced a committee of eighteen to
report on the permanent organization.**

This committee consists of the following: J. W. Raaphel, Frank H. Gould, A. J. Pon, B. A. Wayl, J. W. Johnston, supervisor-elect; J. B. Isaacs, Madame Sorlier, L. I. Brown, Warren Olney Jr., S. D. Lezynski, Isaac Upsham, A. A. Watkins, Paul N. Nippert, Harry Baehr, A. Hochwald, Dr. Morad, W. H. Temm and J. B. Molsant. This committee met in Judge Cook's chambers at 12:30 o'clock to

discuss the plan which will be presented to the stockholders' mass meeting this evening.

**The plan included the cancellation of
all stock and turning the whole over
to the depositors' association. All as-
sets would be similarly absorbed by
the association, which would repre-
sent about \$9,000,000. According to
Judge Cook, if all the twelve thousand
stockholders would join in the
movement the bank would be re-
opened on a firm footing and the de-
positors would eventually get all their
money with gain. Besides, in his
opinion, it is the only plan whereby
the depositors can hope to secure any
returns.**

SALVATION ARMY TO DISTRIBUTE DINNERS

**The Salvation Army is preparing to
stock out many baskets this Christmas
stacked with all the good things which
go to make a "Merry Christmas."**

**The names of many people who are in
need of aid have been sent to them, but
there will be enough for all. Any one
needing a Christmas dinner should send
in the name and address as soon as pos-
sible or if any one knows of a deserving
party the army will send them one of
their baskets.**

MRS. LONGWORTH OPERATED UPON FOR APPENDICITIS

PRESIDENT AT DAUGHTER'S SIDE

**Operation Is Successfully
Performed by Dr.
Rixey.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Dr. Rixey at 11:30 o'clock an-

**nounced that the operation on
Mrs. Longworth, daughter of the
President, for appendicitis, was
successful in every way and that
Mrs. Longworth was gradually
recovering from the influence of
the anaesthetic.**

**The operation was performed at the
White House by Dr. Flanney of Johns
Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, assisted by
Sophie Northrop-Jung of this city. It is
stated that Mrs. Longworth has been al-
liding for some time but that her condition
has not been regarded as critical or se-
rious.**

**It was found that the operation was
necessary and should not be delayed be-
yond the present time. This was in exact
accordance with the advice of the New
York specialists.**

**"It was a very pretty little operation,"
said Dr. Rixey.**

**President Roosevelt left his office and
was at the scene of the operation until
it had been completed. On being in-
formed that it had been successfully ac-
complished and that the patient was in no
danger, he returned to his office and took
up his routine work.**

OIL FROM BROKEN MAIN CARRIED OFF BY FARMER

**Thousands of Gallons Escape and
Form Lake on Prairie.**

**PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 12.—One of the oil
main of the Prairie Oil and Gas Com-
pany, which flows from Santa Fe Rail-
way right of way from Kansas City to
near Chicago and thence to Whiting, Ind.,
broke yesterday noon. Chillicothe, and
thousands of gallons of oil ran away.
Near the scene of the break a lake of oil
was formed and nearby farmers carried
it off in buckets and barrels.**



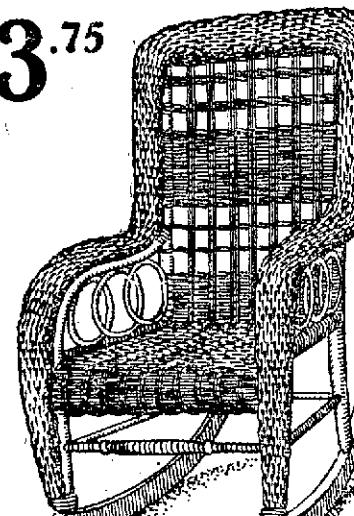
THIS IS U. C. NIGHT AT THE MACDONOUGH

**Tonight has been chosen as U. C.
night at the Macdonough Theater by
the students. The play of 'The College Widow'
is the attraction. It is to be a gay
night, and the management has an-
nounced that the house will be decorated
with blue and gold bunting, flags and pennants. It has been
suggested that the winning team in
the play wear the Berkeley colors.
Despite the large demand for seats,
good ones are still to be had.**

**The plot of 'The College Widow'
is a little episode in college athletics,
showing how Atwater College through
the witchery of the widow hires a
famous football player away from a
rival college, and thereby wins victory
in the annual contest. Mr. Ade has most skillfully
drawn his college charmers and
there are almost a score of them, each
so striking as to win individual praise.**

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comes in natural finish. At**

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and the many practical presents you find here will make the old home a
new home on Christmas day. In a week they are in their places and have
become as much a part of the family as an old dog, a new baby or a
sewing machine.**

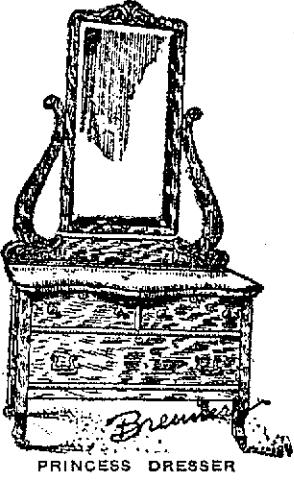
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**The beautiful \$1500, three piece, mahogany bed room
suite we are showing in the 13th Street window has become
the most interesting topic for discussion among Christmas
shoppers in Oakland. Each day we take \$100.00 off of the
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FRIDAY IT WILL BE \$1100

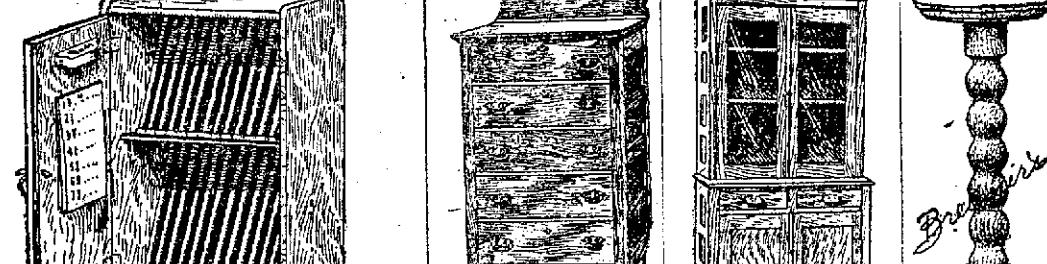
**Saturday it will be \$1000 even, if not sold in the mean-
time. We have received several bids for the set, and it
may be sold any minute. Without a doubt the finest furni-
ture ever displayed in the bay district. See it today.**

At Breuners'.....\$1100



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**And here's a pretty mirror for a
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wife to be a princess, he should
give his wife a chance to primp.
The dresser shown above is made
of solid oak, golden finish. Ex-
actly as shown in picture. At
Breuners'.....\$12.85**



Chiffonier

**A very handy piece of
furniture for any bed-
room. The chiffonier
shown in the picture
above is made of sea-
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glass front; two large
drawers for cutlery and
kettles and pans. At
Breuners'.....\$9.85**



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cabinet; they will pay for themselves in a
short while by preserving the records. The
cabinet shown above comes in solid golden oak
with shelves sufficient to hold 180 disc records.
A record cabinet will be a very acceptable
Xmas present for those who have a phonog-
raph. The one shown above. At Breuners'.....\$10.80**

At Breuners'.....\$10.80

PEDESTAL

This beautiful turned pedestal

comes in either

mahogany or

solid golden oak;

five large roomy drawers;

FINANCIAL STRINGENCY IS NOW THING OF PAST

Sixtieth Congress Busy at Work Considering Many Subjects of Deep Interest to Pacific Coast Including Oakland Harbor's Future Dredging.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TRIBUNE)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6, 1907.—The sixtieth congress convened last Monday with the customary quiet ceremonies. There were many new faces in both houses, so that it was noticeable that the present congress has a new element whose legislative course will be watched with interest.

As to the organization of the house, it was at no time doubtful that Mr. Cannon would be speaker. His eminent abilities and the manner in which he has guided the body over which he has so long presided practically excluded any other choice. His firmness and conservatism will, it is believed, be especially needed during the session.

The great questions which have been discussed by members of Congress as they arrived in Washington have been the financial situation and the probable candidate of the republican party for the presidency.

The monetary stringency being so acute and affecting as it does practically everybody, was naturally the principal topic. It seemed to be the universal opinion that the cause of the existing difficulties was primarily the loss of confidence by the public in financial institutions and the great business corporations. Opinions differed somewhat as to the cause of this loss of public confidence, but it seemed to be conceded that at least one very potent influence has been the almost constant hammering which has been given vested capital during the past few years by writers of a sensational character who have carried to the extreme the ideas underlying the prosecution by the government of corporations accused of having violated the law.

Added to this was the pretty general suspicion that the good times of the past six years have so stimulated business and encouraged speculation that obligations had perhaps overstepped the ability to meet them. This still further weakened confidence in the financial stability of the country.

The effect of this lack of confidence began to be seriously manifested a year ago when great industries and enterprises commenced to experience difficulty in securing money for needed improvements and extensions to take care of increasing business. Expenditures of all kinds by these great interests were in consequence curtailed, which further influenced the public idea as to future prospects, and there came to be developed a pretty general loss of confidence impairing the general credit.

PANIC COMES WHEN CREDIT IS WEAKENED.

The mass of the people were in this state of uncertainty and tension when the failure of a weak concern precipitated a panic which would not have occurred during what was one of the most prosperous years of our history had not the credit of nearly all enterprises been weakened.

This loss of public confidence has led to the hoarding of money which still further aggravated the difficulty.

Without the prompt and vigorous action of J. P. Morgan and his associates, to whom later the Secretary of the Treasury loaned his aid, the disaster would have been appalling. As it is, the people have had time to see that they themselves, through a withdrawal of confidence in fundamentally sound institutions and enterprises, are for the most part to blame for the present situation, and that a renewal of the old confidence is all that is needed to bring about the old condition of prosperity.

The crisis is now well passed, and time will bring further relief.

By many members of Congress it is held that some kind of legislation is necessary to give us a more flexible currency, and it is certain that such legislation will be discussed in both Houses.

But the ideas as to what is needed are so varied and are held with such tenacity that it will be a difficult matter to agree upon any plan. But there can be no doubt that the discussion will develop important data, and that it will be serviceable to the country at large. It is almost too much to expect that a bill of the character indicated will be speedily passed.

The other great question—the nomination of a candidate for President—is being debated very earnestly in all quarters, and everywhere is heard the question, "Is Roosevelt a candidate?" thus apparently justifying Justice Brewer's famed reference to a game of hide and seek in which the President takes part.

There are aspirants enough, but the problem is to pick the winner. It is regarded as certain that the bold action of Senator Fairbank will weaken the chances of Secretary Taft, who, it is now thought, may not get the unanimous support of his own State.

Senator Fairbank may be relied upon to wage as a serious a war as even a strenuous opponent may desire, and as there depends on the outcome far more than his nomination as President or his return to the Senate, the contest in Ohio will be keenly watched by all who realize what has been the drift of affairs.

PRESIDENTIAL BOOMS STILL DEVELOPING.

The booms of Vice-President Fairbanks and Speaker Cannon are extremely healthy, though how they will develop is what the most experienced politician can't tell. That there will be other booms launched is very likely and it is regarded as quite certain that Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou will be put forward at some stage of the game. But the mention of the names of cabinet officers for the high position is hardly taken seriously by those who consider themselves wise on politics, for they simply believe that any cabinet name means only the President. However, the situation may perhaps clear up as time elapses, so that there may be a clearer idea of "who's who" in the somewhat exclusive society composed of presidential candidates.

The President's message at the assembling of Congress contained nothing very startling outside of the very remarkable

recommendation that congress shall make appropriations for the campaign expenses of the great political parties during Presidential years. This is looked upon as an entirely new departure in the art of self-government.

The excellence of the work of the department of agriculture is being more and more appreciated, particularly in California, and those of our people who are interested in the productions of the State are realizing more and more fully its importance. The bureau of soils has been actively engaged in its particular line of work on the Pacific Coast, and the facts discovered and suggestions based thereon have been of very great value to all producers. Commercial and agricultural organizations are alive to the bearing of these investigations on the prosperity of California, and are on the watch for new directions in which the energy of the bureau of soils may be directed.

The Stockton Chamber of Commerce has been specially impressed with the promptness and efficiency of the work of the bureau in that part of the San Joaquin Valley, and has thought itself more than justified in suggesting that the appropriations for this service be increased so as to scope of the work may be enlarged. It has therefore prepared and sent to Washington a memorial to congress asking that a more liberal allowance be granted to the department of agriculture, and, particularly to the bureau of soils. This will be referred to the committee on agriculture, and will endeavor to secure an increase in the appropriation for the purposes mentioned.

MINERS FEEL PINCH OF MONEY STRINGENCY.

The pinch of the existing money stringency is felt in the most unexpected places. Apparently no class of people is exempt. Communication to members of the delegation from different parts of California show that the holders of the mining claims are not exempt, and they are now asking for relief.

The Los Angeles Chamber of Mines has forwarded to Senator Perkins resolutions suggesting Congressional action, waiving during the years 1907 and 1908 the provisions of the mining laws requiring the performance of assessment work on all mining claims. This seems to be necessary, as the impossibility of raising money to prosecute the prescribed work will, in many instances, lay claims open to "jumpers," who would thus steal the results of the labor of the original locators. During previous periods of stringency action of this kind was taken, and there is little doubt that Congress will now take similar action. A well known firm of lawyers in San Francisco, thoroughly conversant with the needs of our mining population, has prepared a bill covering the point, and has submitted it to Senator Perkins, who has introduced it in the Senate, and will work for its passage.

The growing coastwise commerce of California, particularly of the ports north of San Francisco, demands many improvements to navigation, which the California delegation will urge during the present session. The Females Chamber of Commerce is early in the field with a request that a canal be constructed to connect the Eel river valley with Humboldt bay. It would apparently cost comparatively little to cut a canal from the Eel river across the marsh land to Humboldt bay, and the chamber asks that an appropriation for a survey be made by Congress. Congressman Englebright has the matter in hand, and has personally examined the route. The delegation will heartily co-operate, and as the cost of the survey will be inconsequential there is little doubt that the necessary appropriation will be made.

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'TOO MUCH MOTHER-IN-LAW,' IS VENABLE'S REPLY TO WIFE'S DIVORCE COMPLAINT



MRS. JOSEPH G. VENABLE.

WILL COMBAT SPOUSE'S CHARGE

Declares Woman's Mother is at Bottom of All His Marital Troubles.

Joseph G. Venable, head bookkeeper for the Elden Music Company, 1915 Clay street, who has been the subject of a suit for divorce last week on the grounds of extreme cruelty, is about to file, through his attorney, Charles Perry of San Francisco, a sworn denial of the charge of his mother-in-law in his wife's complaint as well as a cross-complaint which is based principally on the allegation of "too much mother-in-law."

Venable claims that he is unjustly accused of cruelty by the boucette type; that

he is assured that the angered bride's mother is at the bottom of the trouble

which has wrecked his home, and that he is determined to fight the divorce pro

cession to the bitter end.

He expresses the opinion in no uncertain terms that his wife has been influenced to cast

odium on his reputation by the charges

made against him, and in his cross-complaint he revives the charge of his wife's

introducing sort concerning his

wife's ancestry, and with a determined

hand unmercifully rattles the bones of that family's skeleton.

TO MUCH MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Venable's attorney, Charles Perry, gained considerable notoriety in San Francisco in having secured the acquittal of the man charged with having appropriated funds belonging to the silver-throated grand opera singer, Dorothy Tannahill, who had just signed a contract to sing "La Traviata" at the Muni

Opera House in New York City.

Mrs. Venable's attorney in the divorce

proceedings is Beverley Hindle of this city, who, according to Venable,

is a little capacity for the law, and

she was granted alimony with

dead. She was granted alimony with

dead as well as a share of his

stock in the grocery firm. Later Edgar

Rust married again, but she was

separated from him in San Francisco by suing the first

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to me.

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CECILIA CHORAL CLUB IS TO HOLD CONCERT

The Cecilia Choral Club for mixed voices, under the leadership of Percy Dow, resumed rehearsals last evening, after its last successful concert given in this city on November 21 and repeated in San Francisco on November 26. Besides some part songs, the members will sing selections from Haydn's Oratorio, "The Seasons," the next concert, to be given early in March.

The Oakland section now consists of about sixteen members. Any one wishing to sing with us as an active or associate member is cordially invited to be present at the next rehearsal, on Tuesday evening, December 17, at 8 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church, corner of Twenty-first and Telegraph.

TWO WANT CONTROL OF McLAUGHLIN ESTATE

SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 12.—S. C. Rodgers, coroner and public administrator of this county, has petitioned the Superior Court for letters of administration on the estate of Margaret McLaughlin, wife of Major Frank McLaughlin, who before his tragic death, on November 16, was executor of his deceased wife's estate. As a similar petition was filed by Christian Hoffman only a few days ago, there is every outward evidence of an approaching conflict in the settlement of the estate. The property is variously estimated at from \$25,000 to \$27,000, although it is known to be heavily encumbered.

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HIS RESIGNATION SOLVES PROBLEM

Pastor Quits San Rafael Church Where Fiancée and Flock Were at Odds.

SAN RAFAEL, Dec. 12.—The resignation of the Rev. William Elrige, who has been pastor of the Congregational Church here for three months, has brought to an issue its many troubles.

The original difficulty is said to have arisen between some of the members of the congregation and Mrs. Anna W. Tresscott, an Oakland school teacher, who is the clergyman's fiancée. The minister supported his promised bride in the affair, and since then the church has been a storm center.

Many of the members of the church left it to join the ranks of the Christian Science Church here. Elrige's resignation was accepted without comment.

PRETTY HOME OPENED TO TWENTY-FOUR GUESTS



MRS. MORRIS SCHNEIDER.

Popular Society Woman Hostess at Whist Party With Elaborate Supper.

Mrs. Morris Schneider, popular among the social set, and considered a most charming hostess, entertained a few evenings ago about two dozen couples with a whist party at her pretty home, 566 Twenty-third street. An elaborate supper was served. Mrs. Schneider is a most happy entertainer and the socials at her home are always highly enjoyed and eagerly looked forward to.

PIONEER CITIZENS OF RICHMOND MOVE SOUTH

RICHMOND, Dec. 12.—Richmond is to have another theater. The American Amusement Company of Oakland has had built at 312 Macdonald avenue especially for their use an attractive and convenient building. The new place of amusement is to be called "The Gem," and will be opened to the public just before Christmas. Continuous vaudeville will be the attraction.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Asher have sold their household furniture to Trustees Jas. Cruckshank, and will depart in a few days for Los Angeles, where they will reside. Mr. and Mrs. Asher are among Richmond's pioneer citizens.

J. T. Beene moved Saturday to his newly-acquired property, the Piono ranch, near Concord. Beene came to Richmond last September from Chicago.

Annis Wilcox and family have arrived from Colorado, and expect to reside here permanently. They have leased the F. Brewen residence on Nicholl avenue.

The members of the M. E. Ladies' Aid Society report that they netted about \$200 at the bazaar, which closed Saturday evening. This amount will be used in the building fund for the new church. C. G. Beath and wife, formerly of this city, but now in the employ of the Santa Fe at Needles, are visiting friends here for a few days.

PLAN EXAMINATION FOR CIVIL SERVICE

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at San Francisco, Cal., on the dates shown:

Teacher, Philippine service, Dec. 27-28; assistant, male, Philippine service, Dec. 27-28; waiter, first-class steamship waiter, Boston, Berlin, Jan. 8-9; fish culturist, Jan. 8-9; clerk, chemist, Jan. 8-9; lithographic stone polisher, Jan. 8-9.

For application blanks and further information concerning these examinations address secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District, room 24, Post Office building, San Francisco, Cal.

MANY MEN APPLY FOR GENERAL WORK

The Associated Charities have been having numerous applications from strong, able-bodied men who are out of employment and wish work. Most of these applicants desire rough outside work, such as chopping wood or gardening and cleaning yards. Some are handy with tools and are able to make themselves generally useful. The association has offices at 308 Broadway or may be reached by telephoning Oakland 638.

BENJAMIN FAY MILLS' LECTURES POPULAR

Benjamin Fay Mills' lectures this week in the new Golden Gate Hall, 2127 Market street, San Francisco, have drawn enthusiastic audiences. Mr. Mills completes his program on Monday afternoon and on Tuesday and Friday evenings at 3 o'clock he will give two lessons in spiritual life.

Tonight he will give his third Bhagavad Gita lecture, "What Man Is," and tomorrow evening will give his last Gita lecture on "The Free Soul or Realization."

Mr. Mills leaves for his home in Los Angeles on Friday's owl.

PERFORMANCE AT NOVELTY FOR CANDIDATES IN CONTEST

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NEXT WEDNESDAY
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A special performance will be given at the Novelty Theater on next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock when the candidates who have been entered in the Great \$10,000 Prize Contest of THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE are invited to spend a jolly afternoon as the guests of THE TRIBUNE. Not only are the candidates who are in the contest at the present time invited, but also those who have been invited to come as guests of THE TRIBUNE. An audience will be assembled with two tickets which will allow them to bring a member of their family or a friend to enjoy the special performance.

LANGDON SPEAKS TO NEW YORKERS

Address Interrupted by Lawyer, Who Asks Questions of Californian.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—District Attorney Langdon of San Francisco delivered an address to a large audience in Carnegie Hall last night under the Civic Forum's auspices. While he was talking about the San Francisco graft conditions Franklin Leonard Jr., a lawyer, interrupted to ask questions.

The point of Leonard's question was if Ford and Culhoun had not been convicted they should not be denounced as wrongdoers. After the meeting adjourned Leonard apologized to Langdon for disturbing his speech.

Langdon declared in his address that within two hours after he landed in New York twin buildings were at "high heel," and he added "they are in this hall tonight."

"When men in office take a bribe and give away what does not belong to them it is more than the double crime of extorting and stealing," said Langdon. "It is treason." He depicted the wrongs and cruelties inflicted on helpless individuals as well as the community when "graft reigns as it did in San Francisco."

ADOPT RESOLUTION.

The following motion, previously introduced by the Board of Trustees of the Civic Forum, was presented to the audience as a resolution, and was unanimously adopted.

It was also voted that this resolution be telegraphed to the people of San Francisco, in care of the Mayor Taylor.—The Civic Forum, assembled in Carnegie Hall and representing the civic interests of New York City, congratulate the people of San Francisco upon the splendid devotion of its citizens in the restoration of efficient democratic government in one of America's cities. We are thankful that you have set an example of governmental probity which is an encouragement to the whole nation."

MEN'S AUXILIARY PLAN SOCIAL DANCE

The Young Men's Auxiliary have completed arrangements for their dance which will be held in St. Anthony's Hall, East Oakland, to-night. Good music has been secured and those attending are assured of a good time. The following committee has charge of the affair: George Delaney, chairman; W. J. Burke, J. Connally, Ray Harris, T. Sullivan.

A fine box of candy from The Library Store will be given to each candidate on his arrival, and the afternoon will be a fitting close to a contest that has had the keenest rivalry, but in which the best of feeling has always prevailed.

OUR LEADERSHIP DAYS LEFT.

The contest is almost an end. All that remains is three days. Three days is very short time, but it is long enough to gain many subscriptions, and make victory certain.

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Hornback Alligator Bags, Regular \$7.00—now.....\$4.50

Sole Leather Bags, hand-sewed, Regular \$16.00—now.....\$11.00

Canvas Trunks, Regular \$7.00—now.....\$4.85

Extra Wide Leather Suit Case, with straps all around, Regular \$8.00—now.....\$5.50

Sole Leather, leather lined, Regular \$10.00—now.....\$7.25

Ladies' Purse in Horn, Alligator, Seal and Walrus from.....\$2.00 to \$5.00

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LESTER M'NULTY HAS HIS AGED OVERCOAT AGAIN

Garment Figured in ex-Clerk's Trials.

Judge Melvin of the criminal court made an order yesterday upon application, restoring to Lester M'Nulty, former deputy county clerk, the overcoat he had deposited in a local bank. Werr was found on the street muttering threats against people and saying no one could get his coat away from him. The police investigated and found that he had on Tuesday deposited that amount in the bank. Werr says he got it at his Nevada mine. His sanity will be inquired into in court.

At the time of M'Nulty's arrest two years and two months ago for an alleged attack upon a woman, he was seen carrying an overcoat which was taken in charge by the authorities and has been held ever since as evidence. It was used against M'Nulty in his three trials. At his third trial M'Nulty was acquitted.

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Roosevelt Rebukes False Friends

President Roosevelt has finally put a quietus on the persistent talk of a third term emanating from enemies on one side and self-seeking friends and pretended admirers on the other. His letter is a stinging rebuke to those who have insisted that the President was not sincere in making repeated announcement that he would not again be a candidate. It leaves no loophole for cavil, and no ground for further pretense that he does not mean what he says. It is true that Mr. Roosevelt is now serving his first elected term, but he is nevertheless serving his second consecutive term as President of the United States, and he says:

"The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

It is to be noted that the President unequivocally endorses the wisdom of the custom instituted by Washington and rigidly adhered to since. He also stands for the substance and not the form of things, as was to be expected of his frank, forthright nature. The politicians who have been working schemes of personal advancement under the pretense of rooting for Roosevelt will now be compelled to desist from insulting the President by representing him to be a liar and a hypocrite. But Theodore Roosevelt has made his fame secure against attack and placed his motives far above the shafts of envy and malice.

Military Non-Interference at Goldfield.

The Federal government is to be commended for taking the stand it has done at Goldfield. The instructions issued, by the order of the President, to the commanding officer of the United States troops quartered at the scene of contention between the mine-owners and the members of the Western Federation of Miners are explicit and to the point. If either side expected that the troops could be used to help it in its contention with the other it finds itself disappointed. The order impresses upon the commanding officer strict non-interference in the industrial dispute and absolute impartiality in the treatment of all concerned. It would have been a grave error had the instructions been otherwise and would, doubtless, have led to far more serious trouble than any which has so far afflicted the camp.

The troops are at Goldfield to afford protection to all alike. No faction in the industrial contest is to receive any special favor. Nothing short of violating law and order by either side will operate as an excuse for military intervention. If the mine-owners expected that the troops could be employed for the accomplishment of their special ends or if the striking miners suspected that the military arm of the government was to be used to intimidate them and to force them into a compliance with the terms of the mine operators, both sides now know their mistake. So far as the labor question is involved the Federal government disavows any concern and is perfectly neutral. If both sides keep the peace and obey the law, the troops will remain passively in camp and no one will have any reason to fear military interference.

Moreover, the government is evidently not satisfied about the representations sent to Washington which induced the issuance of the order to General Funston to dispatch his men to Goldfield, and the commissioners of Corporations and Labor and the Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Labor have, therefore, been sent there to make a personal and impartial investigation on the spot and report their findings. Neither side to the controversy has any reasonable cause of complaint on the course the government is following, for it is strictly the wisest policy which could have been adopted.

Probing Oregon Railroad Grants.

It is announced that the Department of Justice has taken preliminary steps toward restoring the railroad land grants in Oregon to the public domain, on the ground that the subsidized corporations have violated the provisions of the grants. The issue involved is not that frauds were committed in securing the grants, but that the companies obtaining the subsidies were under obligation to sell the land to bona fide settlers at the government price of \$2.50 per acre.

A vast area of heavily timbered land lies within these railroad grants in southern Oregon, which the railroads have been holding at figures far in excess of the original government price. They set up the claim that in granting these land subsidies to encourage and aid railroad development it was the intention of Congress that the grants should be sold to settlers at that particular time at \$2.50 per acre in order to facilitate settlement; but that, inasmuch as settlers were not then obtainable, the condition became void.

The issue has been raised by a large influx of settlers into southern Oregon within the past two years. These have taken up claims within the limits of the railroad land grants and have made the tender of \$2.50 per acre in payment therefor, which the railroad companies have refused to accept. Most of these new settlers hail from Michigan. They are in every case improving the property by erecting dwellings and farm outbuildings and fencing in the quarter sections on which they have located. They have made representations at Washington to the effect that they are bona fide settlers under the meaning of the act of Congress and that the grants have been forfeited through the refusal of the railroad companies to accept the price fixed by Congress. The action which the Department of Justice is preparing to take to test the integrity of the land subsidies is based on these representations. The value of the property at stake is enormous.

The decadent Call pretends to be worried over the cost of public printing in Alameda county. The Spreckels organ should save its tears for the victims—many of them personal acquaintances induced to invest by friendly tips—of the Oceanic Steamship swindle. As the heavy deficit in the Call's running expenses is met in part with the money filched from deceived and betrayed stockholders in the Oceanic Company that it is not likely it will ever denounce that plundering deal.

J. Dalzell Brown says T. Otway Sadler committed suicide for love of him. That is more than his friend Rudolph Spreckels will do, however appropriate such an act of devotion might be.

TERSE COMMENT BY PRESS OF THE COUNTRY**CONGENIAL SPIRITS****MEAN MEN'S CLUB**

THE MEAN MEN HELD A 'SMOKER' THE OTHER NIGHT AT WHICH THE NEW MEMBER READ A SEASONABLE PAPER. GREAT ENTHUSIASM PREVAILED.'

—CLUB NOTE.

Making a Farce of Justice

The sentence passed by the United States District Court at Carson on two cattlemen who had been convicted of fencing in a large area of the public lands in Nevada as an exclusive cattle range, without any color of law for their act, was in the nature of a roaring farce. It was a case of deliberate land stealing carried out with a full knowledge of the character of the act. The cattlemen probably presumed that, being possessors of wealth and possibly influence, political or otherwise, they would not be molested in their unlawful occupation of the public lands. They were duly tried and convicted of the crime, jointly, on four indictments, and one of them separately on a fifth indictment. The public and the government had a perfect right to expect that a penalty would be imposed commensurate with the offense committed.

According to the telegraphic report of the case, the sentence of the court made, however, a laughing stock of justice, unless there were extenuating circumstances connected with the offense which have not been reported and which are improbable. The penalty imposed consisted of a nominal fine of \$100 on each indictment, accompanied with a twenty-four hour imprisonment in the Churchill county jail, the latter being so defined as to be concurrent. In other words, the total term of imprisonment amounted to only twenty-four hours on all the convictions. Such a sentence was enough of a farce in itself, but it was made more ridiculous by a stipulation that it became effective from the moment sentence was pronounced and that the county jail to which the convicted men were consigned for imprisonment was far enough away from the court room to consume the whole term of imprisonment in transit. They, therefore, escaped even the formality of entering the prison.

It is not long since President Roosevelt took cognizance of just such a farcical sentence imposed by another Federal judge on a convicted offender against the Federal laws, and he promptly removed the judge from office. The judgment of the court at Carson seems to be one which demands similar attention from the President in the interest of justice.

.. QUIPS AND HUMOR ..**DEPENDS ON THE LOCALITY.**

Happened in Minneapolis.

"What would the history of this country have been," exclaimed the eloquent lecturer, "without the immortal John Smith?"

He paused.

"Applaud that name!" he said sternly.

Although most of the persons in the audience were named Johnson they applauded, merely to show that they bore the late John Smith no grudge.

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ONLY BY SIGHT.

Soulful Miss—"You are familiar, I presume, with the Portuguese Hymn?"

Col. Lumokin (just returned from a trip abroad)—"Er—no; I saw him, of course, when I was in Europe, but never met 'im. You mean King Carlos, don't you?"

ANCIENT INSTANCE.

Achilles was walking in his tent.

"Why don't you help us fight the Trojans?" urged his friend Patroclus. "The battle is going against us."

"You and the Trojans be dog-gone!" growled Achilles. "I'm a reactionary!"

Later, however, when the enemy put the hooks into Patroclus, he got home.

JUDGMENT OF POSTERITY.

Teacher (of night school)—"It is scarcely necessary for me to say that Tennyson ranks deservedly as one of the greatest of English poets."

Shaggy Haired Pugil—"Sure. He's the only man that could rhyme 'coward' with 'hundred,' and make it go!"

NON EST.

Hilker—"There's one thing I forgot to ask you about Hilker. What's his religion?"

Spitzer—"It isn't."

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Powers of Courts to Nullify Enactments of Legislative Bodies

The American Federation of Labor has taken a hand in the matter of the judicial power to nullify legislative enactments. It resolves that the United States Supreme Court alone should have power to declare federal laws unconstitutional, that State Supreme Courts alone should have this power in the matter of State laws, and that in both cases a unanimous decision of the said courts should be required to set aside a law. Of state laws alleged to be in conflict with the federal constitution nothing is said.

The important feature of the federation's program is that requiring unanimous decisions to invalidate an act of a State legislature or congress. Nor may this be condemned offhand, though no doubt the federal constitution would require amendment to enable Congress to apply the proposed rule to the United States Supreme Court, or force such a rule upon it.

It will have to be admitted, of course, that a judicial decree setting aside an act of the legislative department of a State or the national government is not lightly to be entered upon. The power assumed by a few men sitting as a court of law, to nullify the acts of the representatives of the people in a government by the people, is rather extraordinary, and when the Judges themselves are divided in opinion as to the constitutionality or otherwise of a legislative enactment we frequently have the case presented of a single Judge tipping the scale against the whole power of the legislative department and possibly against the wishes of the people themselves. The nullification of the income tax law of 1894 by vote of a single judge who had changed his mind was about as scandalous a reflection upon this government as being a government by and for the people as could well be conceived of.—Springfield Republican.

The outlook is that the voters will be singularly free, next year, from all kinds of political incantations. No orator will be able to arouse hysterical applause by simply announcing, "I am a Democrat." Nor will a confession of Republican faith move any audience to tears. People will coldly insist upon knowing what kind of Republican, as what kind of Democrat. And if either party thinks to lay a spell upon the citizens of the country, whether by some kind of hocus-pocus of issues, or the fancied glamor of a personality, it will be doomed to a sorry disappointment.

Sober minded and independent Americans cannot regret the prospect of a campaign in which reason bids fair to have much more play than usual.—New York Evening Post.

How Roosevelt Looks to Old-Time Southern News Writer in New Orleans

It seems unlikely from the present indications that President Roosevelt will be able to dictate the course of Congress in dealing with the difficult and urgent questions with which it will be confronted. It is an open secret that there has been a growing restiveness on the Republican side in that body, and especially in the Senate, since it first became evident that the Republicans must crack. Just how the leaders can manage to please the revisionists and yet satisfy the stand-patters is something of a puzzle. In the meantime, the Democratic party is almost harmonious with respect to the tariff. Its importance as an issue is growing in the minds of the people. The people are learning that tariff revision is necessary, not only as a part of the general plan of dealing with the trusts, but in the readjustment of the finances of the country.

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SOCIETY GOSSIP

(Continued from preceding page.)

esterday afternoon at a musical given at her studio on Twentieth street. A score of guests enjoyed the informal affair.

HOME WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Hazel L. Johnson and Victor H. Smith took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson, in Berkeley. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. D. Hutsinpiller, pastor of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

Miss Lyle Bradly of Harbor Springs, Mich., an intimate friend of the bride, was the bridesmaid. George C. Starr was the groomsman. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Portland, Ore., where the honeymoon will be spent. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will have a pretty cottage on Grove street on their return. Smith was formerly a student of the University of Oregon. Mrs. Smith was a member of the class of 1904 of the Berkeley High school.

PERSONALS.

S. N. Palmer is a guest at the St. George in Santa Cruz.

Tebe Jones is visiting in Modesto. Mrs. S. B. Clough is the guest of friends in Merced.

H. Andree made a short business trip to San Jose.

A. J. Bowdley is at the Park Hotel in Sterling City.

T. R. Porter is registered at the French in San Luis Obispo.

Mrs. E. H. Bryan is visiting friends in Sacramento.

Miss Ruth Williamson spent last week with relatives in Hollister.

Lee Dille paid a short visit to his brother in Williams this week.

Mrs. J. H. Hyde and Miss Castle Hyde are the guests of the Lewis family in Stockton.

Don Morris was in Stanford on business last week.

S. A. Knapp is a visitor in Sorona.

Mrs. W. S. Wells spent a few days in Martinez last week.

Miss Elvina Hook is visiting friends in Sacramento.

MISS ROSSA SARKEY.

Miss Rossa Sarkey was the complimentary guest at a delightful birthday party given last evening at the home of Ed R. Allen in Cedar street, Alameda. The house was decorated in the holiday red and green, while in the dining room large chrysanthemums gave a touch of yellow. Games and music occupied the evening after which a supper was served.

Among those present were Misses Lillian Kindred, Adele Barnes, Rosa Sankey, Ruth Allen, Elsie Dorrell, Ross Sankey, Mary Ringo, Florence Ringo, Bernice O'Connell; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pixley, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Allen, Charles Hesler, Harry Spangler, Harry Merrill, John D. Reardon, Howard Hansbrow and Ed R. Allen.

CARD CLUB.

Mrs. Rupert Whitehead will entertain the members of a card club tomorrow afternoon at her home in Piedmont. What is to be the game for the afternoon and among the players will be Mrs. F. R. Chadwick, Mrs. Harry East, Mrs. A. Denton, Mrs. George Amos Scott, Mrs. William Westphal, Mrs. Roosevelt Johnson, Mrs. Frank Barnett, Mrs. William Jackson, Mrs. A. L. Leber, Mrs. W. H. Ilynes, Mrs. Merle and several others.

FOR A DEBUTANTE.

Mrs. Henry L. Dodge entertained at luncheon yesterday for Miss Dorothy Van Stecken. A dozen guests were present. Cards are out for a large ten to be given by Mrs. J. W. Van Stecken and Mrs. Horace Phillips at the Fairmont Hotel on the afternoon of Saturday, December 20. At this affair Miss Dorothy Quincy Van Stecken will make her formal bow to society. Several hundred cards have been sent out and a dozen debutantes will assist in receiving the guests. Miss Van Stecken has recently returned from several years' study at one of the fashionable New York schools.

WILL ENTERTAIN.

The Misses Beatrice Gyle and Claudine Jonas will entertain the members of a club in the near future at a luncheon at the Key Route Inn to be followed by a box party at one of the local theaters.

ANNUAL BALL.

The Seminole Club, consisting of twenty-two young men of Oakland, will give its first annual ball at El-El Hall Friday evening, January 3.

The ball arrangements are in charge of a committee of four members, assisted by several popular young ladies, including: Miss Fannie Fetterhoff, Miss Minnie Jennings, Miss Elsa Hesse, Miss Louise Emily, Miss Etta Fetterhoff, Miss Ruth Alderlee, Miss Lorena Dickey.

Elaborate preparations are being made by the members of the organization for this affair, which promises to be one of the most successful social events of the year. Many of the members of the Seminoles are closely connected with the Alumni Association of the Polytechnic High School of Oakland, which gives a monthly collision in this hall.

The following are the members of the Seminole Club: Frank DuFrance, Charles Spangler, George Bistorius, Walter J. Hesse, George Falvey, Adolph Bauer, Leland Kelbar, Richard Gieseke, William Heldenech, Alvin Spencer, Allen Johnson, Carl Larson, Charles Harvey, John F. Hassler, Randall Underwood, Edward Malon, George Schmidt, George McIlwain, Claude Faw, Rudolph Mau, Robert Morton, Roy Murchalter.

MILLS CLUB.

Invitations are out for the Mills Club meeting which will take place Tuesday, December 17, in the Sequoia Clubrooms, between Van Ness avenue and Franklin streets, in San Francisco.

Mrs. Frank D. Bates is president of this club and Miss Charlotte Lamb is secretary.

The program announced for Tuesday is as follows:

Songs Selected.

Lecture "Shakespeare's Fools."

Miss Elizabeth Easton.

AT LUNCHEON.

Mrs. F. H. Dorsaz entertained this afternoon at a luncheon given at her home, Eighteenth streets. The complimentary guests were Mrs. L. C. Arhardt, mother of the hostess, and Mrs. Reed of Los Angeles. Covers were laid for a dozen guests.

DANCING PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Maurer will entertain this evening at a dancing party to



MRS. F. H. DORSAZ.

OAKLAND TRIBUNE.**DECLARE REDMEN ROBBED OF LAND**

Senate Sub-Committee to Make Report of Very Grave Nature.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, consisting of Senators Teller, Curtis and La Follette, which investigated the alleged frauds in the purchases of Kickapoo Indian lands located in Oklahoma, held a meeting yesterday and practically agreed upon the report that would be submitted to the

The report will disclose a rather startling series of alleged shady transactions that went on near the Mexican border where a number of the Kickapoos were living when the law was passed allowing them to dispose of their lands in Oklahoma, and where some of them were taken by white men.

The sub-committee went to Eagle Pass, Texas, in November and examined a large number of Indians and white witnesses. The reports will show that facts were developed which proved conclusively that certain men had formed partnerships and raised capital with the express view of cheating the Indians out of their lands. In this connection the report will mention certain names of persons charged that there were, through fraudulent practices, obtained at an expenditure of not over \$20,000 lands aggregating in value \$150,000. Some of the men named in the report will say were not actively at work among the Indians, but they were found to have furnished funds for the alleged corrupt dealings. The committee also found evidence of corrupt Mexican officials and bankers in that region; it also found that names of Indians had been forged to a large number of deeds and checks.

FAVORITE METHOD.

A favorite method of securing lands at a cheap price from the Indians seemed to have been to pay fair sums of money for them, place this money in the bank to the credit of the Indians and then draw a check by forged checks. One Indian, who was with state, was arrested on a charge of murder and released after he agreed to sell a small strip of land worth \$15,000 for \$300. The deed in the transaction showed that several pieces of land had been included in the description and the Indian was induced to sign it without knowing its true contents. The report will show that a great deal of brutal treatment was accorded the Indians by the parties in question. Special mention will be made of incidents at Muzzeez, where Indian women were subjected to outrageous treatment and insult.

LIFE THREATENED, BUT ROUTS BOOTLEGTERS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs LaFollette in his annual report says that his bureau holds that the sale of intoxicating liquors to Indians would be greatly diminished by the employment of special officers out of the fund appropriated for the suppression of the liquor traffic has been realized beyond all expectations.

Two of Special Agent Johnson's men and one posse man have been killed in skirmishes with bootleggers and ten violators of the liquor laws have not a like fate. Johnson had several narrow escapes himself and during a good part of the time has worked in the face of a reward of \$3000 offered by outlaws for his assassination.

WOLF OF POVERTY IN HUMBLE HOME OF THREE

Mother Appeals for Food for Her Little Child.

The wolf of poverty has crept into the home of Mrs. Florence Glode of three and in dire distress for lack of food and fuel. For the past five weeks they have had nothing to eat but bread and tea, and are without means to purchase nutritious food.

The impoverished ones live in the basement of old fashioned house on Broadway, where they occupy two rooms which are meagerly furnished and without carpets or lights.

The bride will have one attendant, Miss Horner, who will serve as maid of honor. Miss Glode is an attractive, accomplished girl and a graduate of Miss Horton's school. She is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Caskie and a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockie. Gilbert is a graduate of the State University and is prominent in the business world.

WEDDING DATE.

The marriage of Miss Ann M. L. Caskie and C. Irving Gilbert will take place Tuesday, December 24 at the home of the bride in East Oakland. The pretty ceremony will be witnessed only by relatives and a few intimate friends.

The bride will have one attendant, Miss Horner, who will serve as maid of honor.

Miss Caskie is an attractive, accomplished girl and a graduate of Miss Horton's school. She is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Caskie and a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockie. Gilbert is a graduate of the State University and is prominent in the business world.

A Home Made Happy by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

About two months ago our baby girl had measles which settled on her lungs and at that time she had a severe attack of bronchitis. We had two doctors sent to relief who obtained "Everybody" thought she would die. I went to eight different stores to find a certain remedy which had been recommended to us, but failed to get it. When one of the stockkeepers in stated that if I try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy I did so and our baby is alive and well again. Dr. G. Spence, Holy Name, N. Y., Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always cures and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Osgood Drugs, 7th and Broadway.

SHOT BECAUSE HE LOST FILIPINO GIRL'S LOVE

OROVILLE, Dec. 12.—Rudolph Johnson, a former soldier, shot three times at his employer, a negro, Tuesday, because the latter had won a girl he wanted.

Johnson said he went with the first volunteers to the Philippines and there he became a soldier and brought his wife with him. Despite the fact that his family had disowned him he still had her and she was the source of all his trouble. The woman testified against Johnson and he was held to answer.

BOZEMAN, Mont., Dec. 12.—

In an explosion of the engine of a Northern Pacific freight train last night, Fireman John Welch was instantly killed and Head Brakeman Vevey severely injured. Welch was buried in his railroad feet from the engine and was probably fatally hurt. The fireman's body was thrown 200 feet. Engineer Walsh escaped with a few scratches, his side of the boiler remaining intact.

SCHOOLMARM'S ARE SCARCE IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Wanted Seven hundred school teachers. Apply Board of Education, City of New York.

This advertisement has not yet ap-

peared in the want columns of the daily papers, but it may soon be necessary to put it there. The Board of Education is finding it impossible to secure the required number of teachers, or at least to find enough who can pass the severe examinations which the board has decided must be passed.

That is one of many reasons why Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is given the preference by the Well-Informed. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists. Price fifty cents per bottle.

There's plenty of humbug in tea; not one ounce in a ton Schilling's Best.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't use it; we do.

SECRETARY METCALF HEADS YALE ALUMNI

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Victor H. Metcalfe, secretary of the navy, has

been elected president of Yale alumni.

OPENS AT 8:30 A. M. CLOSES AT 5:30 P. M.

ABRAHAMSONS

Southeast Cor. Thirteenth and Washington

SENSATIONAL SALE of Genuine Cut Glass and Crockery

We must have the room! The space occupied by our Cut Glass and Crockery Department must be used for other purposes. We are therefore selling out every bit of Genuine CUT GLASS and CROCKERY AT COST, HALF PRICE and LESS THAN COST!

Here is an opportunity to secure CHRISTMAS GIFTS at a PHENOMENALLY LOW FIGURE!

NOTES OF THE SALE!

Sale starts at 9:00 A.M., Tomorrow, Friday, Dec. 13th. See our Big Washington Street Window Display. Everything at this Sale sold for Cash. We carry only Genuine Cut Glass.

KOREAN CROWN PRINCE**IS HONORED BY JAPAN**

Envoy of Hermit Kingdom is Received With Pomp.

TOKIO, Dec. 12.—The Crown Prince Yi, the Korean envoy, returning the recent visit of the Crown Prince of Japan arrived here this evening and was received with all official honors. Prince Ito, the Japanese resident-general in Korea, who is accompanying the crown prince on his visit, was also here on the occasion.

Prince Ito, the Chinese envoy who has been here returning the visit of Prince Fushimi of Japan to Pekin will leave for China tomorrow, December 13.

W. D. Stevens, the American diplomat who has just been appointed adviser to the Japanese Ambassador at Washington, has arrived here enroute to America.

CALIFORNIA PIONEER DIES, AGED 77 YEARS

William D. Thompson, who has resided in California for nearly fifty-three years, died yesterday morning at his late residence, 135 Hanover street, East Oakland. He was seventy-eight years old, and a native of Wales.

Thompson was a well-known Republican and had served as a delegate to State and National conventions. He was a Mason and an Odd Fellow.

A widow and two daughters survive him. They are Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. A. C. Dean and Mrs. Alexander Wilson of Redwood City.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR LADIES**GENTLEMEN**

"NO THIRD TERM FOR ME," SAYS THE PRESIDENT

**SEERESS ADVISED BANK MANAGERS;
SAYS INSTITUTION WILL RECOVER**

**STATEMENT MADE
BY ANNA EVA FAY**

Had Deep Interest in Affairs of Bank, but Did Not Know Brown.

I never advised J. Dalzell Brown individually as to the conduct of the affairs of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company. His advice has been given to other officials and to the management generally.

That is the statement which was made to THE TRIBUNE by Anna Eva Fay the woman seeress who is giving exhibitions at the Orpheum in this city this week.

The no. 1 seeress talked freely about the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company affairs and her connection with the management in an advisory capacity. She acknowledged a deep interest in the institution though she intimated that this was not a personal financial interest. Her words and manner of talking left the impression that the interest she wedged was more on account of the personal acquaintance with those connected with the institution and her natural desire to prevent a great deal of loss and suffering among the many depositors and stockholders than because of any man belonging to or to be gained by herself.

In reply to questions concerning the report that she had been the personal adviser of J. Dalzell Brown, the vice-president and general manager of the failed institution the seeress declared that there had evidently been some confusion of names which had caused her to take for another.

**DID NOT KNOW
J. DALZELL BROWN.**

I do not personally know Mr. Brown he said and have never seen or spoken to him directly concerning the conduct of his business affairs. I suppose that the printed report referred to the name of Dr. Bell. He has been confused with mine or I have been taken for Dr. Bell and my name used where hers was intended. I cannot account for the matter in any other way.

No. 1 Brown never sent to me notes asking for advice as to the conduct of the business of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, nor did I ever send replies to him personally.

Such messages were from the management generally. Nevertheless the impression was made that the practices of the occult were in communication with the bank's and partly at least through the initiatory moves of the latter.

Anna Eva Fay had just come from the stage where she had given one of her performances when she chatted about the connecting of her name with those of the officers of the bank.

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ANNA EVA FAY, NOTED SEERESS, WHO ADVISED MANAGERS OF SUSPENDED BANK

cares the assumption that Brown and the other members of the bank management were in communication with the hidden world through this other medium.

**GAVE OFFICIALS
GENERAL ADVICE.**

That so it was the fact was not stated more positively than in the explanation of how she had given general advice to officials of the bank and that anxiety which had passed between herself and Brown were to and from the management generally. Nevertheless the impression was made that the practices of the occult were in communication with the bank's and partly at least through the initiatory moves of the latter.

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phasis. I told them how to proceed so as to tide over the few weeks of stress and if that had been done things would have come out right in the end.

There are strong financial interests involved which will finally come to the rescue and save the institution was the conclusion of Anna Eva Fay, though whether this opinion was based on her knowledge gained by a clearer sight of the future or in its vouchsafed to ordinary mortals or whether it was based on information gained from her association with financiers she did not make plain. Anyhow the conclusion was optimistic and this is worth something.

**VALUABLE PICTURES
TAKEN BY THIEVES**

AMIENS, France Dec. 12—Five of the most valuable pictures in the works of Daubigny, Bouguereau and Vanloo have been stolen from the Musee de Picardie together with a collection of coins and art objects valued at about \$50,000. The thieves did the work so skillfully that the police are convinced that they are members of an international gang which it is thought is responsible for the theft of Van Dyke's masterpiece "The Erection of the Cross" from the Church of Notre Dame at Courtrai recently and valuable enamels from the National Museum of Rouen.

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**DEMOCRATS
THINK THEY
HAVE BIG
CHANCE**

**Some Say Elimination
of Roosevelt
Helps Party.**

WASHINGTON Dec. 12—Members of the Democratic national committee who are here were among the most interested in the news of the announcement that President Roosevelt had reiterated his determination not to seek another nomination for the president, and while most of them were reserved in their comment it was evident that they saw in it a favorable omen for their party.

Several of them were frank enough to express the opinion that President Roosevelt could poll a larger Democratic vote than any other candidate and their inference was that with the President also likely out of the race the Democratic candidate will not only retain the vote of his own party but would stand a better show of making inroads upon the opposition.

As a supporter of Taft I am very much gratified that the statement has been made. This was the remark of Senator Long of Kansas who was an early White House caller today. Long added that he had always believed the President's former statement and concluded that Roosevelt had never contemplated being a candidate again.

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE—I am surprised that it came at this time. I had no expected any statement from the President on this subject until much later if at all.

WILL HELP TAFT

CONGRESSMAN BEDE of Minnesota—

**ROOSEVELT ENDS SPECULATION
BY HIS FINAL REFUSAL TO RUN**

**NO CHANGE IN
HIS ATTITUDE**

WASHINGTON Dec. 12—All third term talk has ended by the following statement which President Roosevelt issued last night.

On the night after election I made the following statement:

I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried to do to appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the 1st of March next I shall have served three and a half years and this three and a half years constitute my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination.

ATTITUDE NOT CHANGED.

I have not changed and shall not change the decision thus announced.

Comments on Roosevelt's statement that he would not be a candidate were made by prominent men as follows:

SENATOR KNOX—I am not at all surprised. I believed him the first time. President's word is always good with me.

SPEAKER CANNON—The President speaks for himself. It is useless for me to attempt to speak for him or interpret what he says.

SENATOR FORAKER—I have nothing to say.

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE—I am surprised that it came at this time. I had no expected any statement from the President on this subject until much later if at all.

WILL HELP TAFT

CONGRESSMAN BUTLER of Penna.—



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

It will help Taft. I have at no time had any doubt of the President's position.

CONGRESSMAN BUTLER of Penna.—

**CHAMP CLARK
BOOSTS BRYAN**

vania—The President's statement does not surprise me. I have thought all along that he was sincere.

REPRESENTATIVE JAMES of Kentucky—It removes from the field the only man who had any chance of defeating Bryan.

SENATOR HOPKINS—I have never questioned the President's sincerity. It shows that he is unwilling to permit his name to be used to break down the precedent set by Washington and followed by Jefferson. With the President out of the field I think Bryan's chances grow brighter every day.

BELIEVES IN BRYAN

JAMES J. HILL—I think the President is wise. He is to be congratulated upon having kept his promise in spite of all pressure.

NORMAN MACK Democratic national committeeman from New York—It ought to settle for all time Mr. Roosevelt's attitude. Even his best friends must take it as final.

REPRESENTATIVE CHAMP CLARK—I have been lecturing in seventeen States and have attempted to sound the sentiment of the people. Unquestionably in my judgment Roosevelt was the choice of the masses notwithstanding the opposition of Republicans. The Republicans have no other man who will make a strong candidate with the people. Whatever doubt existed as to Bryan's prospects must I think be removed by Mr. Roosevelt's withdrawal.

LINCOLN Neb. Dec. 12—When told that Roosevelt had made positive declarations that he will not be a candidate for a third term W. J. Bryan said:

I have learned from the beginning that President Roosevelt would not be a candidate. The statement he issued the night of election left no room for misunderstanding and I have felt that his friends were doing him an injustice in suggesting that he would change his position on the subject.

Two men for some time which culminated in the stabbing of Well when the latter was about to leave the vessel last evening. The affair was observed by Captain Peter Larsen and he hurriedly reported it to Lieutenant Carroll at the harbor police station.

Several policemen together with Detectives Conlon and Mackay were sent to the scene and after sending Well to the hospital for treatment, they succeeded in arresting Blackwell just as he was attempting to leave the vessel in a small boat.

Well's condition is serious though the surgeons think he will ultimately recover.

**Corinne Sales and J. F. Dooley,
Who Are Appearing at Novelty**



**PAINTS PICTURES WHILE
SHE IS NOT ON STAGE**

Charming Young Actress is Great Lover of Art.

Sales, the latter the original "Dorothy" in the "Wizard of Oz" company, and also the leading soprano in the "Show Girl" company. She possesses many gowns, made by Worth of Paris. Miss Sales is engaged for next season by Klaw and Erlanger. This charming young actress is a great lover of art and has many beautiful pictures. She has painted Dooley and Miss Sales are presenting a comedy sketch this week that give them both ample opportunity to display their rare ability. These clever people are only two of the many stars who appear at the Novelty this week.

CHRISTMAS SALE High-Grade Furniture at Reduced Prices

20 to 40

per cent discount on 300 and more selected pieces.

Practical Christmas gifts Good all the year round, a substantial saving on pieces reduced from regular prices.

A Few Seasonable Suggestions

- Auto Vaults
- Music Cabinets
- Ladies' Desks
- Gentlemen's Chiffoniers
- Morris Chairs
- Foot Stools
- Chairs
- Rockers
- China Closets
- Buffets
- Work Tables
- Tabourettes
- Card Tables

10 Per Cent

discount from regular prices will be allowed on all cash purchases until January 1st in all departments, including Rugs, Carpets and Draperies.

Selections can be had in our large stock to suit every purse, every taste, always maintaining the high standard of quality, be sure and include us in your holiday shopping.

Walter S. Mackay & Co.
Mackay's
418-424 Fourteenth Street, Opposite Macdonough Theater

PRESIDENT WALKER CONFESSES TO "THE TRIBUNE" THAT HE DIDN'T KNOW AMOUNT OF SECURITIES THE BANK HELD

(Special to THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The following statement, issued by David F. Walker, president of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, was published exclusively in a TRIBUNE extra last night:

"I became connected with the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company as a director and its president in July, 1905. I had owned some stock in the company for a little time prior thereto, but not long. I accepted the offer at the urgent solicitation of Mr. Bartnett, and with the understanding that I was not to devote my whole time to the management of the affairs at the bank, as I was not in good health at the time. In my duties as president I was at the bank from time to time, but had no active conduct in connection with the management of the bank."

Brown Was In Full Charge

"Those all remained in the hands of Mr. Brown, who had been connected with the bank prior to my becoming its president. During a large part of the time since July 28, 1905, I had been absent from the State of California in New York and in Europe. I left here in September or October, 1905, and remained absent until the 7th day of May, 1906.

"Immediately upon my return I undertook the charge of pulling down the ruins of the old building and the completion of the present banking house and building of the company. This occupied my time for two or three months. On the 8th day of June, 1907, I again went East on business in connection with the San Francisco Bond and Mortgage Company, to see if it were possible to obtain money in the East or in Europe upon debentures to be issued by that company secured by San Francisco real estate, in order to help rehabilitate San Francisco."

Says Brown Gave False Report

"At the time when I last went East, Mr. Bartnett was in New York, and had been there some little time. I received a telegraphic request to come immediately, and went to assist him in obtaining funds for the San Francisco Bond and Mortgage Company. We remained in New York from that time until the doors of the bank were closed here, and the first I knew of any weakness in connection with the bank was the receipt of telegraphic information from San Francisco that the bank had closed its doors. During the few days immediately preceding this information I received letters from Mr. Brown to the effect that the business of the bank and its branches was in a flourishing condition, and that in spite of the financial crisis the institution was doing well.

"Immediately upon receipt of information that the bank had closed, Mr. Bartnett and I came together to San Francisco and sought in every way possible to re-establish the bank, and it was not until I discovered, just prior to Thanksgiving Day, the condition of the bank, that I concluded this would be impossible. It was not until Thanksgiving Day that I learned in detail the true condition of affairs at the bank."

Had No Knowledge of Bank Holdings

"I never had any knowledge of the stocks and bonds owned by the bank, and which were listed at \$4,000,000

California Bank Crash Affects Army Officers Located at MacDowell

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Many of the officers at Fort McDowell were affected by the crash of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, having had money deposited in the institution. Many of them had been instructed w^t their company funds and had deposited them in the safe deposit bank. Fo^r these funds they are personally responsible.

The savings of the officers did not amount to a great sum, but most of the men who have been stationed here for any length of time have saved a few thousand dollars. One officer who had just reached California from the East placed \$3,500 in the bank the day before it closed its doors.

Appoints Committee to Perfect Organization Of Depositors of Bank

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The committee which will arrange for the organization of the depositors of the suspended California Safe Deposit and Trust Company has been named by Judge Carroll Cook. The organization will be completed tonight at a meeting of the depositors in Dreamland Rink, which convenes at 8 o'clock.

The members of the committee are J. W. Gillett, Frank H. Gould, J. A. Pon, B. A. Weyl, J. A. Johnston, A. M. Requa, Malaine Soebert, J. D. Isaacs, I. R. Brown, S. F. Lexington, Warren Olney Jr., Isaac Chapman, J. B. Warren, W. H. Temple, A. C. Johnson, D. C. Moore, Paul N. Noyes and H. Hockwald. Five of these were selected by Judge Cook from the committee originally organized by J. W. Raphael, four were taken from an informal group of depositors who met on Tuesday and the remaining were appointed from the depositors at large.

STOCKHOLDERS WOULD COMBINE.

At the same time the stockholders' association, making advances to the depositors, with a view of concerted action and the union has been expressed that the majority of the stockholders are willing to agree to assess themselves to a considerable extent in that they can secure an amicable co-operation and avoid legal suits.

It is understood that a conference has been arranged between Richard M. Hollister, who is one of the stockholders, and Julius Rapaport, on Friday.

Some of the depositors are becoming convinced that by conservative and honest management the resources of the company can be so nerved that they will contribute to the restoration of the depositors.

"If the plan of united action is successful all individual attorney's fees, court fees and collection charges will be saved, and depositors should not at this

To Conclude Affairs Of Citizens' Bank if Commissioners Permit

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—William Bagland, president of the Citizens' State Bank, which closed its door on November 1, has taken steps to conclude the affairs of the bank.

Bagland called on the bank commissioners yesterday and turned over \$2,000 in cash to himself and of his bank.

He was extremely nervous and anxious to get rid of the burden which he had assumed. Bagland owns almost all the stock in his concern.

He is down on the books for 739 shares; C. H. Denebrouck has thirty shares; C. H. Neuhaus, I. J. Truman five shares; Henri Marx five shares and Fred H. Rowe five shares.

Bagland owes the bank \$89,000. He has a security on a house and car, and is supposed to be worth \$135,000, but the value of which at the present time is very small. He had stock in the Enterprise Real Estate company, the Western addition Masonic Hall, the West Coast Oyster Company, 300 shares of Mechanics' Bank stock, Pacific Grand Hotel stock, Amalgamated Oil stock and 2000 shares in the Lassen and Willow Creek Land and Water Company.

Governor Talks About Condition of Banks in State—His Intentions

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Governor Gillett said last night in regard to the bank situation, and the statement that Bank Commissioner Silver is slated for removal:

Matters are too grave just now for hasty pronouncements. The people feel that the foundations on which the commercial fabric of the State and country at large is founded is solid at the core and know that no matter what the lapses of time or control of isolated institutions may be, the vast majority of banks are sound.

The testimony of the commissioners, however, is to the effect that there are points of some of the weaker points in the present system.

Many tentative suggestions have been made which cannot be talked of now. When the time comes for that the public will be informed. Until then the less said the better.

I am leaving here tonight and expect to be gone for four or five days, may however, return by the end of the week.

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time sign any contracts involving the payment of such charges."

J. Dalzell Brown Has To Spend Another Day And Night in Prison

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—J. Dalzell Brown spent another night in the city prison. Yesterday's quest for bonds proved fruitless. Brown's visitors have also failed off to an appreciable degree. His attorney, Elram Johnson, C. Norton, and his son Thomas and a few friends called upon him yesterday, but they accomplished but little. The banker is now inclined to be morose and while he says that he expects to be released shortly, he has abandoned the confident air which he first assumed.

Yesterday his counsel presented bond executed by the Attna. Indemnity Company to Judge Duane, but it was not approved. In declining to approve the bond, Judge Duane gave as his reason that the company was already surety to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars for other persons and he did not feel like accepting a bond from this company unless it should be approved by the district attorney.

Last evening Elram Johnson left his client after a consultation which extended for more than an hour, and as he left the prison he made an announcement that there was no immediate prospect of securing a bond.

Last evening he was accorded the privilege of the office of the prison sergeant, where he talked for a long time with his son Thomas. At 11 o'clock he announced his intention to retire for the night and was locked up in cell three in the female ward, which he has occupied each night since his arrest.

SAN LEANDRO WOMEN ORGANIZE NEW CLUB

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 12.—The first meeting of the newly organized woman's club of this place was held Tuesday afternoon. The club has not yet been named, but is organized for the purpose of righting for their improvement and for philanthropic enterprises. Miss W. S. Peters, who is experienced in club work, has been elected president. The other officers are: First vice-president, Mrs. S. E. Peacock; second vice-president, Mrs. A. A. Brown; recording secretary, Mrs. C. A. Miller; financial secretary, Mrs. C. J. Frank; corresponding secretary, Miss Helen Barker; treasurer, Mrs. H. P. Eberle; besides the regular officers, all whom are directors, are the directors-at-large as follows: Mrs. George Dowrey, Mr. R. Graff and Mrs. Lucy Wairath.

FAVOR BOND ISSUE FOR REDWOOD CITY

REDWOOD CITY, Dec. 12.—The mass meeting of Redwood city citizens for the consideration of a bond issue decided Tuesday night that \$30,000 was needed to build a new firehouse, the proceeds of which should be divided as follows: \$10,000 for a city hall, \$15,000 for three steel water tanks and \$5,000 for water pipes.

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Secretary of Bank Is Confined to His Home; Is a Nervous Wreck

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—James Connell of 2102 Laguna street, secretary of the suspended California Safe Deposit Company, is at his home and refuses to see callers. A gate rudely torn from the

BUSY WEEK AMONG THE FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

Pioneer A. O. U. W. Lodge of Coast Is to Consolidate With Younger Neighbor.

Pacific Lodge No. 7 now meets in the fraternal structure of the tribe and, though the number admitted during Pacific Lodge No. 3 on Washington and Twelfth streets, has gone back to the history of the tribe, the same high standard has been maintained. The work meeting place. Last Thursday night the degree team was spoken of as most lodge was favored by the presence of Grand Foreman W. J. Peterson and Professor Larson of the State University, both of whom made very interesting talks. It is proposed to have a "house warming" of the new hall shortly after the holidays.

California Lodge No. 1 of West Oakland has voted to consolidate with Pacific Lodge No. 7 at the beginning of the year. California Lodge was the first to be instituted on this coast some thirty years ago, and numbers among its members many of the pioneers, such as Fisk Harris, Carleton, Allen, Angwin and others. The vote to unite with Pacific was unanimous.

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD. The big class initiation of the T. F. B. will be held tomorrow evening at Y. M. C. A. Liberty Theater. All are invited, and especially members of the order. The class to be initiated numbers about 200, and the exercises will be conducted by Supreme President James A. Foshay, who will journey from Los Angeles for the occasion.

Following the initiatory ceremony will come the regular performance of the Liberty Stock Company in "She Stoops to Conquer."

This will be a night to be remembered by all who are present.

BIG CLASS OBLIGATED. Oakland Lodge 123 of the Fraternal Brotherhood held its regular meeting last Friday evening at Pythian Castle at Twelfth and Alice streets. Considerable business was transacted and a class of thirty candidates stood before the altar and took the obligations. Twenty-eight applications for membership were presented before the lodge and referred to the committee on investigation.

Oakland No. 123 has been so busy getting new members at present during the membership campaign that there has been no time for socials, but will again resume the socials after the close of the campaign.

The chief business of the lodge was the nomination of officers for the coming term. A special meeting was called on last Tuesday evening to initiate the remaining candidates. It being the last night of the membership campaign.

As the result of the three months work in Oakland, there is to be a class of over 200 candidates initiated at Y. M. C. A. Liberty Theater, Friday evening, December 13. After the initiatory services the regular performance will follow.

Hon. James A. Foshay, supreme president, and other supreme officers will be present to conduct the services.

OAKLAND COURT NO. 6. Oakland Court No. 6 met in regular form Monday evening at Franklin Hall, 12th and Clay streets, between Washington and Clay streets, on Friday evening, December 13, at 8 o'clock. There will be an open meeting next Monday evening, December 17. All members are requested to be present and bring their friends.

ATHENS CAMP, W. O. W. Athens Camp No. 451, W. O. W., held their regular meeting last Wednesday evening. A number of candidates were initiated with the assistance of the team. Athens Camp is forging ahead in membership. Head Speler Neighbor Tatt gave a long talk on woodcraft. All neighbors of Athens Camp are requested to attend the camp Wednesday evening, December 18th.

NATIONAL UNION. Oakland Council No. 973, National Union, will hold their regular meeting in Woodmen Hall, Twelfth street, between Washington and Clay streets, on Friday evening, December 13, at 8 o'clock. There will be the annual election of officers, initiation and a general good time for all members who are present. The class for initiation numbers twenty-five.

UNCAS TRIBE NO. 137. At the election held last Friday evening in the wigwam of Uncas Tribe, Sam Schaefer and Senior Sagamore Michel were regularly advanced. James H. Fulster elected to the stamp to be vacated by Brother Michel and, after a close contest, Christian Ebbeen defeated Ed Rose for the Junior's stamp. Brother Ebbeen has been an untiring worker in the tribe for many moons and his selection is a recognition of his efforts. The brothers feel confident that, as in the case of the other officers, they have chosen wisely.

Following the election of officers the Adoption Degree was conferred upon William Nolen Adams, Frank McKeary and P. P. Smith. These newly adopted brothers are the type that is entering

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of chief donator and refuses to take the position is entitled to compensation. Those who have given up their positions are entitled to receive the large gathering awaiting them. The amount of their own carfare, cocktails, etc., is fined \$1 for each offense.

The Gimme club will hold its annual gift party next Saturday evening and the board of directors has arranged a very classic program, as follows: Adeline Williams, "The Girl Who Wasn't There"; Wm. Kue, "We Were Coming Through the River"; Brother Ebony Wilson, "Highland Fling"; Brother Gillespie, bass solo; Brother Dunn, "The Troubadour"; Brothers Dunn and Gillespie, juggling by Brother Stewart; address on "Race Suicide," Brother Jackson.

The club is invited to attend.

PYTHIANS OF OAKLAND. The assemblage of Oakland Lodge held on Thursday evening, December 12, a grand entertainment and feasting. In a most commendable and impressive manner the rank of page was conferred on Strange Clarence Williams, G. H. Chapman and Daniel O'Shea.

Nomination and election of officers followed. After a very spirited contest the following were the results:

Commander John Patterson; Vice-commander George Smoother; Major W. D. Willis; master of work, Robert McDaniel; Adjutant, L. H. Hammon; master of records and seal, Frank Curran; master of etiquette, Joseph Gillian; Inner guard, J. Darnell; outer guard, A. J. Muller and Peck.

Owing to its steady growth in membership and financial prosperity, it was deemed advisable to increase the rank of page to that of captain. A motion to that effect being presented was unanimously carried.

When the lodges closed the assemblage met in the dining hall, where Capt. Moon had prepared an elegant collation and the good of the order was discussed with other various other good things mentioned in the address delivered by Brother Dunn.

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Lodge opens at 8 p. m. All visitors are cordially invited to attend.

GOD WILL REBEKAH. God Will Rebekah Lodge met in its third annual regular meeting, December 4, at Linda Park Station, Melrose, and christened it by giving a home social. The following officers were elected:

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DRUDS TO GIVE BELL. The "Three Oaks" of Druidism, namely, Live Oak Circle, Live Oak Chapter and Live Oak Grove, U. A. O. D., will give their first joint masque ball at Foster's Hall, Oakland, next Saturday evening, December 14.

Many prizes have been selected by the committee in charge and will be awarded to the best characters as selected by the judges.

The general committee in charge of the affair consists of Mrs. C. V. Fischer; Mrs. E. Cordano, Mrs. K. Gambroni, Miss L. Pittett, E. R. Alden, F. B. Smith, R. Pleniti, P. Mignoli.

A band will furnish the music and everyone will be assured of a good time.

COL. JOHN B. WYMAN CIRCLE. Col. John B. Wyman Circle No. 22, Ladle of the Grand Army of the Republic, have moved to Loring Hall, 531 Eleventh street, and are meeting every Thursday at 2 p. m.

On December 5 the following officers were chosen to serve for the coming year: President, Gertrude Goldsby; senior vice, Callie Eaton; junior vice, Mary Everhart; treasurer, Sarah J. Jordan, chaplain, Emma C. Stevens; conductor, Marion E. Kyle; guard, Sarah J. Whitcomb; delegates to the department convention, Mary Everhart, Emma Stevens and Sarah Jordan.

On November 18 the circle was visited by Department Inspector Little L. P. Peterson of Vallejo, and a pleasant afternoon spent.

December 19 at 2:30 p. m. it is the intention of the circle to give a whisky party. The score cards will be twenty cents, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance and a pleasant afternoon anticipated for those who enjoy the game.

PIEDMONT LODGE NO. 172, K. O. P.

On Monday evening, December 9, K. O. P. were entertained with a social game of which the most popular and handsome prizes. These whist games are becoming very popular among the members.

Next Monday night the pure rank will be conferred upon one stranger and visiting knights will receive a cordial welcome.

Brother E. F. Lewis, an enthusiastic member of the lodge, has donated two very handsome prizes to the members presenting the most applications for the last meeting in January.

At the regular meeting of the lodge on December 2, the drill team want to know if new lodges Richmond and Judson are growing very rapidly. All visiting and local residents are welcome.

HARBOR LODGE I. O. O. F.

At the regular meeting of the lodge on Wednesday evening, December 11, on which date the election of officers took place, the new officers for the ensuing term were: President, G. C. Rogers; Vice-president, G. C. Rogers; recording secretary, Adam F. Menes; financial secretary, James Rye; treasurer, R. G. Ferguson; trustee, Fred H. Hodges; general manager, J. W. Bodenham; physician, Farrington Wilkes and F. F. Jackson.

The election was a very spirited one, as quite a good number of applicants were present.

The election of officers was completed in the district meeting, which will be held at Harbor Lodge on next Wednesday evening, December 18, reported as having prepared fine program for the coming year.

All brothers are cordially invited to be present on that date. A pleasant evening was spent by the members who were fortunate enough to be present.

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THOMAS AND KETCHEL FIGHT TONIGHT

GREAT BATTLE WILL BE HELD AT BALL GROUNDS

Men Are in Perfect Fettle for Struggle and Contest Should Be Thrilling One.

BY EDDIE SMITH.

Last night the lighting and the seating of the arena at the Recreation Baseball Park was tested, and those who were on hand voted the efforts of Manager Gleason a success. Owing to the fact that the seating for the Britt-Gans contest was not as good as it might have been, some doubt was felt regarding the seating for this contest, and for that reason many were present last night to witness the try out. All pronounced it a success.

Tickets are on sale at Devereaux's cigar store, Broadway, Oakland, and The Hague on Fillmore street.

"Hello! Billy Shannon's place?"

"Yes."

"Is Joe Thomas there? If so, please call him to the phone."

"Hello!"

"Is that you, Joe?"

"Yes."

"Well, Joe; I would like to know about your weight. Have you made it with ease or have you had to work pretty hard to get down?"

"I have made the weight and am feeling fine. I had to work hard to get to the figure without going to the baths, and for that reason I am better than ever. You know I am generally lazy with my training, but this time I have worked harder than ever and I will surely win."

With a few trifles added, the above conversation is one that took place last evening over the long-distance telephone between Joe Thomas and the writer. Thomas is to meet Stanley Ketchel for the third time in his career with the hope of wiping out the defeat that the Montana fighter handed him in their second contest.

When Joe was beaten by Ketchel at Colma he took the defeat like a man and with the exception of stating that he had not quit the game and that he was anxious to get another chance at the hard-hitting miner he had little or nothing to say.

Thomas set about getting another chance, however, and as the previous contests between he and Ketchel were of such character that the fans would feel they were guaranteed a good contest in the third meeting, the promoters were all anxious for the affair. It was then that Thomas made known the fact that he would demand a higher weight and also made known the fact that he had experienced considerable trouble in making the required 150 pounds four hours before the contest.

Ketchel, of course, wanted the same weight conditions to govern the coming contest, but to this Thomas wisely objected. Considerable mystery has surrounded the Thomas camp regarding the weight for this contest, even though it has been raised five pounds, and today the men who bet on the contests will be compelled to take the word of the Californian for his weight.

The real truth about the weight question with Thomas was no doubt brought on by the fighter's laziness and over-confidence when the men met last time. Thomas trained himself then, and, as he has admitted himself, he is inclined to be very lazy. Harry Foley has trained him for this contest, however, and, but for the few days he was away on his honeymoon, he has seen the fighter weigh every day and has also watched him work both in the gymnasium and on the road.

Thomas, therefore, has no chance this time to say he was not in good condition if he loses. Fact is, Joe has made a good bet on his chances and will enter the ring for tonight's battle with a determination to win that will be hard to shake off.

The story of how the fighter from Montana will feel upon entering the ring is not a long one. He has had perfect ease in making the weight and his wonderful speed and hitting powers are so well proven to those who saw him at work with Thomas that it would be a waste of time to write of them.

Ketchel is so supremely confident that he will win again from Thomas that some have ventured the opinion that he is a trifle over-confident, and this may be so. For the writer's part a bet on a man who carries the confidence of Ketchel is a good chance. It was this confidence that made it possible for him to draw with Thomas at Marysville, when he bounded from no place into the first rank of pugilists, and it was this strengthened confidence that made it possible for him to win from the Californian in the Colma contest.

Ketchel is what the followers of the game call a heady fighter, and although he may be a trifle over-confident he will no doubt fight his usual cool and clever battle. Ketchel, in both his contests with Thomas, has succeeded in landing a hay-maker that put Joe down, and each time this punch has been landed after the Montana fighter had made an opening by his clever head work.

After the last contest many of the sports criticized Thomas for his lack of use of the right hand, claiming that he had plenty of openings and perhaps could have turned the tables on his conqueror if he had done so. That is a mistake, and if Thomas uses his right hand tonight any more than he did in the second contest at Colma, Ketchel will no doubt put him away. Ketchel has a left punch that he uses both straight and as a hook, which travels like lightning and also with force enough to knock an opponent out, and if the opponent is not well protected with his right hand to block these punches he will be worsted. No fighter can exchange right for left punches and not get the worst of the deal.

The only chance Thomas has for his right punch is in the close work and when countering, but if he shoots that short right cross counter over on Ketchel's jaw many times it will be bad for the Montana fighter.

Ketchel, in the writer's opinion, is stronger than Thomas, and in the clinches he is a hard man to handle. He turns his side to an opponent as Frank Nell did in his palmy days and pugs away with his left hand with a speed that is both surprising and injurious to his opponent.

Joe Kelley Gets Nice Soft Berth

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Joe Kelley, the famous old Oriole ball player, and the man who led the pennant winning Toronto team in the Eastern League last season, has been chosen to lead the Boston National League team next year. This was the most important announcement made at the baseball concclave of the National League, which is now in session at the Waldorf-Astoria.

President George Dovey of the Boston Nationals and Kelley had a long conference yesterday. Kelley wanted a contract for three years, which would net him \$20,000. Dovey offered him a contract at this rate for one year. After some little dispute the owner and ball-player got together and agreed on a two years' contract at Kelley's figure, or at a figure near the mark he placed on the value of his services.

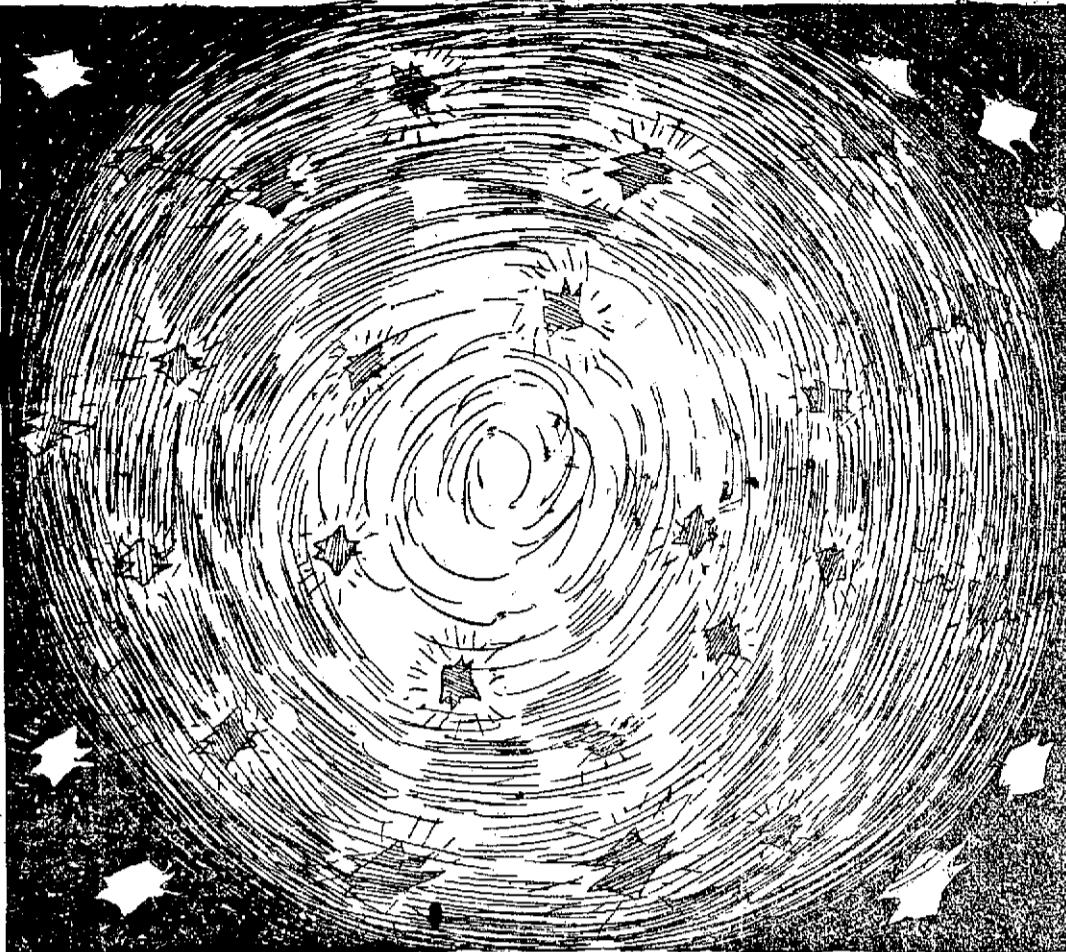
Gerry Herman, president of the Cincinnati club, is still wandering around and around with a knitted brow trying to get a manager for the Reds. Herman would be delighted to have Bresnan behind the Cincinnati team, but he thinks the Giants are asking too much.

There was very little done in the second day's session of the annual meeting of the magnates. Harry Pulliam was re-elected president, receiving seven of the eight votes.

Frank Robinson of the St. Louis Cardinals received the other vote. John A. Helder was elected secretary-treasurer, and then the board of directors will consist of Herrmann, Dreyfuss, Ebets, Murphy and Dovey.

Courtesy's Manhattan Cocktails are the talk of the town. For mixed drinks go to the Galatoire Hotel.

THERE WILL BE A DONNYBROOK FAIR AT THE BALL GROUNDS THIS EVENING, WHEN THE MONTANA GRIZZLY MEETS OUR NATIVE BEAR.



GEORGE J. PRESLEY IS ELECTED STANFORD COACH

Noted Football and Baseball Player Is Chosen to Succeed James Lanagan, Who Retired Recently.

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THINK PRISONER IS SHARP CROOK

Police Believe They Have Taken
Forger of Many
Checks.

Fred Sink, a recent arrival from Los Angeles and who for the past two weeks has been sought for by the police, is in the city prison with his name on the detaine book on suspicion of having scattered numerous forged checks throughout this city and Berkeley.

The specific charge against Sink is that he forged a check for the amount of \$8 which was passed on a local saloon man. He is also to be held to account for the alleged passing of checks on merchants in Berkeley, the police there as well as the local police having been in search of him.

Sink will be held in detaine at the city prison until after his record has been thoroughly investigated. He would at once be tried on the \$8 check case except for the fact that the police are of the opinion that they will uncover other shady transactions on the part of the arrested man. It is said that none of the checks issued by Sink were for large amounts.

Charles E. Hildebrandt, who was arrested with Sink yesterday when they were about to leave Berkeley, was turned over to the San Francisco police this morning after having confessed to the stealing of \$24.8 worth of stamps from the J. K. Armsby Company of Howard street, San Francisco while he was employed by the San Francisco Compressed Air Cleaning Company. He was turned over to Detective Sergeant Murphy of the San Francisco department.

DEMOCRATS ARE NOT SURPRISED

Chairman Taggart Says He Knew
Roosevelt Would Do as He
Said He Would.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Chairman Taggart of the Democratic National Committee does not quite agree with most of the prominent Democrats that the President's new announcement that he will not be a candidate will have any effect on Democratic chances. "We have taken the President at his word," he said, "and had entirely anticipated that he would say just what he has said. The regular announcement has given some stimulus to the anti-Bryan sentiment among the Democrats, especially of the Eastern States. Seven of them declared before the national committee went into session that the convention would materially increase Democratic chances if an Eastern man could be chosen as the Democratic candidate, and they mentioned especially the names of Lieutenant Governor Charles N. New York, and former Governor Douglass of Massachusetts.

There also were impressions favorable to Governor Johnson of Minnesota. "With Governor Johnson and Chamberlain, we have a good chance," said one of them.

Among those who were mingling with the crowd was W. B. Hunter of New York City.

WILD ANIMALS FEED ON RICH MAN'S BODY

REDDING, Dec. 12.—Louis Trimble, whose dismembered body was found in the field near his home, two miles from Ingot, was not murdered, as reported by the boy who found the remains. Coroner Houston found a bullet hole in the skull and Trimble's gun lying beside him. Money and valuables in the pockets were not touched. It is believed Trimble killed himself accidentally. His head was severed from the body by wild animals, which tore out his heart and lungs. Trimble had been dead several days. He was a wealthy goat raiser.

RANCH OWNER SUES TO RECOVER DAMAGES

Suit was begun today in the Superior Court by Ferdinand Beck against Frank Gularite for \$700 in rent and damages, which Beck alleges is due him for the period that Gularite occupied the ranch known as Tres Palle or Beck place.

Beck alleged that Gularite took a lease on the ranch November 1, 1906, and annual rent to be \$25 a year. Beck alleges that Gularite deserted the premises and in addition damaged the fruit trees and grape vines to the amount of \$100. The plaintiff is represented by John J. Mazzia.

EXCITED JENNIE GAY IS SENT TO JAIL

Jennie Gay, an erratic character, who yesterday attacked her husband in an upstairs room by her voice for a pistol and who top of her voice for a pistol and who but a few days ago was released on her promise that she should leave Oakland, was today sentenced to fifteen days in the city prison by Judge Smith. The woman said she had turned to Oakland because of the health of her son relatives, but her story did not carry much weight with the judge.

STILLWELL TOO ILL TO BE TAKEN TO EAST

James Stillwell, the New York automobile expert, who is ill in New York for failing to convalesce for his minor child, was to have been taken East today, but owing to a severe illness it was found impossible to have him moved. Dr. Hamlin, who is attending Stillwell at the Receiving Hospital, said that Stillwell will have to be operated on.

At the present time the accused man is in a precarious condition and may not recover.

BERKELEY'S EXCHANGE SECRETARY RESIGNS

BERKELEY, Dec. 12.—Frank D. Belvel has resigned from his position as secretary of the Berkeley Real Estate Exchange. His resignation was tendered at the meeting of the Exchange last evening.

The reason given by the members is the shortage of funds with which to pay a salary to their secretary. Belvel was invited to come to Berkeley at the suggestion of George S. Shilling. He formerly occupied a similar position in Des Moines, Iowa.

WEATHER REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—San Francisco and vicinity, Santa Clara Valley and Sacramento Valley. Cloudy; possibly showers to night and Friday, fresh southerly winds.

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IS HEIRESS OF SUPPOSED PAUPER

Woman Gets a Fortune From
a Man She at One Time
Befriended.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A dispatch from Pensacola Fla., says:

Mrs. Annie Burkhardt, 20 years old, thought she was entertaining a pauper in Thomas Caldwell, an aged recluse, who came her way from Chicago. She put him in a trunk and eked out a miserable existence by peddling fish and food. Miss Burkhardt ministered to the man when he was ill, and he often said she had saved his life. She yesterday received information that she was the sole heir of the estate of Caldwell, valued at \$75,000 and that Caldwell's four sons had been cut off with \$1 each.

DECLARES BOXCAR SHORTAGE ENDED

Southern Pacific Official Tells
News at Luncheon of Merchants Exchange.

Superintendent T. A. Lawson of the Western Pacific and the California and Merchant's Exchange members at their weekly luncheon today at Hotel Metropole that the freight car shortage in this country is now over. He said further that Lawson predicted that the Southern Pacific would be able to in future keep up with the demands for freight transportation in spite of unforeseen conditions suddenly prevail.

Superintendent Lawson was the guest of honor at today's luncheon of the merchants exchange, which was held down at a club where President Harry G. Williams called upon Lawson for remarks.

"A month ago," he said, "the S. P. man, who were short 1,000 freight cars to meet the requirements of the market, will have at great expense brought freight cars here from as far South as Los Angeles, and now am glad to be able to tell you that the shortage has practically disappeared." Instead of having awaiting shipment at Livermore, the Southern Pacific is prepared to bring any quantity to the market on demand, and will be able to furnish cars on this division available.

I have received advices by wire from Portland which lead me to believe that the freight blockade in the West is now over, and that there will be no further trouble in bringing merchandise from that region. I think that I can assure the merchants of Oakland that we shall be able to supply their business without delay in future."

LOCAL AGENT HOPES.

Superintendent Lawson's remarks were welcomed by Frank Elmer, Local Agent Forstner for the Southern Pacific stated that he hoped that all that Lawson had promised would be verified and that he would be in a position to assist in the verification.

Among others who spoke was Manager Thomas F. Delury of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, who said he was gratified to find that the company's operations are being made here in the line of business; Frank A. Leach Jr., who spoke of electric lighting matters; President Frank Elmer of the Western Pacific Company; W. Fisher of the Humboldt Lumber Company; President The Glez of the Bank of Germany; Irving C. O'Neil, president of the Oregon-Oregonian Company; and A. Jonas Broadway clothing merchant, who said that if the Southern Pacific Company's upper division of the line of business for Oakland merchants as his judgment told him to do, and not compel him to refer to the San Francisco office, he would be satisfied that all would be well with the merchants and the local transportation service.

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**CHARGES HUSBAND THREW
DISHES AND VICTUALS**

Applicant for Divorce Alleges
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Mary McLean today filed a suit for divorce against Angelo McLean, alleging that he threw dishes and victuals at her.

Mary Mitchell today brought action for divorce against Frank Mitchell, alleging that he has one child.

**GRANTED DIVORCE ON
STATUTORY GROUNDS**

Judge Ordern this afternoon granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Orrin C. Clegg of San Francisco on statutory grounds. The couple were married at Newburg, N. Y., October 21, 1904, and have no children. The plaintiff was allowed to resume her maiden name, as he told her he had caused his husband to desert her.

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In Mr. Sadleir's pocket was found a letter signed by Florence Jackson Stoddard, dated October 28, 1902. The letter contained an enclosure of verses entitled "When My Ship Comes In," dated at Buenos Ayres in 1894 presumably by Mrs. Stoddard before she had been married. The letter and verses are printed below.

HER LETTER

My Dear Mr. Sadleir:

Enclosed is a copy of the verses I spoke of on Sunday.

There are some errors of construction that I have always meant to get at and remodel,

but cannot do so now; but the sentiment would in any case

remain unchanged. To me it

is certainly the result of experience that I have learned to believe one may have as lofty

a hope and as keen an ambition in mature life as in adolescent times when in reality so

great is ignorance, and so un-

concentrated are aims that a

true appreciation of anything is not possible.

FLORENCE JACKSON STODDARD. Oct. 28, '02.

T HIS ship?" I cried, "this is

none of mine.

This cargo I have not stored;

I look for a vessel of princely

freight

That shall be my own, with a gallant mate

Who has all my riches board."

THEN, they drew me away to

view the ship

With her stores now all dis-

charged;

STORED through the fleeting

years.

S O, my ship's come in; yet her

gathered freight

Is unwished for and useless to-day;

FOR THE AIM OF THE HOUR.

and not of the past,

Make cargo rich, hope new and vast

For the ships to be launched

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WILL not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife after Dec. 11, 1907. (Signed) E. L. HENRY.

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MRS. BECK, palmist, gifted clairvoyant card reader, medium; names, dates, marriages, business, 855 18th st. near Grove. Ladies 5 cents.

SPIRITUALIST

Meeting. Tell me, answer any question, foretell future. Every one welcome. Lorine Hall, 11th st. corner Clay. Sunday night (Arnold-Dickson). Consultation 5219.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BOY wanted about 17 years of age, to learn business. Bowman & Co., 1221 Broadway.

BOY wanted in china department of Kahn Bros. \$8 per week. Apply to Mr. Ackerman.

CLOTHING salesman for Juvenile dept. Apply S. N. Wool & Co., 11th and Wash.

GOOD salesman, must have the best of references; \$200 per month; must have good address and good appearance. M. L. T. Telephone, 11th Pier Co., 27 San Pablo ave., Oakland, Cal.

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When "out of work" see that a want ad is "busy" in your behalf.

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COOK or general, \$40; second girl, \$30; nurse, \$30. 838 10th st.

DISTRICT school teachers wanted. Fish Teachers Agency, Studio Bldg., Berkeley.

GERMAN or Swedish girl for general housework and assist with children; wages, \$25. Phone Oakland 2333, 1. m.

GIRL for general housework; wages, \$25. Phone Oakland 6373, 17 Adams st.

GIRL wanted to assist in housework and care of two children. Call 112 12th ave., Monday.

LADY solicitor, must be of good appearance and an fluent talker; must have good references; \$150 per month. Call bet. 2 and 5 p. m. Manager, O. T. Telephone, 27 San Pablo ave., Oakland, Cal.

NURSE for children, 1334 Home st., Berkeley. Phone Berkeley 2329.

RELIEF girl (German preferred), to assist with housework, wages, \$25. Apartment above College ave., near Webster st., Berkeley.

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MADAME STANLEY, readings daily and instructions in palmistry, now at 49 10th st.

MISS F. M. MAYNARD, electroshock, 4852 12th st., over C. M. Street. Phone Oakland 1358.

MR. THOMPSON, please send your account to us. 1000 Market, 10th and Harrison, bet. 11th and 12th st., the earliest convenience.

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ARMED forces employment and house cleaning office, 115 7th; phone Oakland 2329.

A. JAPANESE employment office or housecleaning by the day. 85 Frankln St. Phone Oakland 2621.

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**Geo. Pexet Wins
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George Pexet was the happiest billiard player in town last night when he left the Oakland Billiard Parlors winner of first prize in the balk line tournament, \$25 in gold in these days of clearing house scrap is no small matter, but when handed to you along with the satisfaction and honor of defeating all competitors in a classy contest you feel justified in proclaiming that you have "arrived."

And it was a great game. With a room filled with spectators, critical but impartial and ready to applaud every display of skill, both players were nerveless up to give forth their best efforts. Pexet won the first and missed his opening shot. Casselman struck, scoring from his first shot, turning his first strike with hardly a miss and gained rapidly. The lookers were predicting another series, but George, with a confident smile, born from a possible tip from Anna Eva Fay, commenced to gather goody points and at 80 points they were on even terms.

Pexet retained the lead by a narrow margin as they passed the 100 mark, and then, well, hard luck got into the game and foul-fisted Casselman with a maze of bad breaks, and tantalizing misses from which he was unable to extricate himself. With the score 125 to 108 Pexet went homeward whistling "Shame to take the money," said the word on Nellie's \$20.

Bunker wins second prize; \$10; Casselman third, \$15.

Lemire and Jones play off their strength to determine fourth and fifth place for \$10 and \$5 respectively.

**AVERT FEARS OF
CHANNEL WATER**

Success Attends Diversion From
Mormon Slough Direct to
River.

STOCKTON, Dec. 12.—The waters of Mormon channel were diverted yesterday and are now flowing directly into the San Joaquin River. Some persons believed that the great rain of Tuesday and the night preceding would block the work and all Stockton channel with another sand bar. Interrupting traffic for the year and causing loss to the inhabitants estimated at between \$5,000 and \$10,000. This city may have lost \$2,000.

A large force of men worked all night and before daybreak the levee was cut and the dam strengthened enough to hold the water back.

The engineers in charge of the work state that the diversion will be successful in every way and that even in case of excessive high water there will be little possibility of damage resulting to either the Southern Pacific or Santa Fe embankments.

**Jockeys to Play
Newsboys' Nine**

The jockeys of the racetrack at Emeryville are organizing a team to play against the Newsboys of Oakland. A challenge was issued a year ago by the newsboys and a date set for a game, but rain interfered and for six consecutive Sundays the game had to be postponed.

The game was cancelled for the season.

"Red" Fitzsimmons acting for the newsboys, has reissued the challenge and the jockeys are forming their team.

Mervin Miller has agreed to play second base, and several other jockeys have signed to play. It is proposed that the game take place at Freeman's Park a week from Sunday.

**TENDERS BANQUET TO
MEMBERS OF N. S. G. W**

A banquet was given by H. Scheen, father Wednesday night at Union Grill, to honor of the members and candidates of Bay View Parlor No. 288, N. S. G. W.

Among those present were F. Ward, Past master; Jerry Connor, Secretary; Sully, Treasurer; Schaefer, John Finn, Joe Carroll, Ed Da Bock, James Heany, Chas. Lowery, Noble Johnson, Al. Danter, Peter Malone, R. Wilson, L. J. Coughlin, Redington, D. W. O'Keefe, Gus O'Keefe, George Anderson, M. McGuinn, W. J. Ryan, J. B. Lyons, Hank Poole, Dr. H. Gonzales, W. Wilkerson, M. Hayes and others.

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**FEAR CONTINUED
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Expect Trouble Between Trust
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HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 12.—It is reported from the Muddy Fork neighborhood, in Trigg county, that seven young men are dangerously wounded in their right arm, in which they were injured in a manner of mystery. It is supposed that the men were engaged in the recent raid on the trust tobacco stemmories and warehouses in this city in which several buildings were set afire. The length of time of the supposed fight a few days ago is reported that half a dozen others are in a serious condition.

When the riders left Hopkinsville after the raid, Tompkins and other tobacco establishments they were followed for some distance by a posse and shots were exchanged, both parties being armed with long range rifles.

It is believed that the trust buyers were struck by the bullets of the posse. The riders went toward the Muddy Fork country and it is from that section that the report of the sudden death of two young men came.

Until this time the tobacco houses of this city it was hoped that the war between the tobacco growers and the trust buyers had passed the stage of violent attacks by the riders.

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The well-known and popular saloon on the northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, that bears the above name has been one of Oakland's leading resorts for over 30 years. For ten years past Mr. P. N. Hanrahan has been proprietor of the same and since his connection with this place he has made it more popular than ever. The business has increased to such large proportions that the gentleman named found it necessary to make it more commodious and has just been entirely refitted and beautified appointed in every regard, and it can easily compare to the finest places of its kind in the United States. No expense has been spared to equip it in a manner to make it inviting and accommodating. To see it is to appreciate it; to go into detail would not do it justice. The reputation of this saloon has been of the very highest order pertaining to the class of liquors dispensed, which accounts for its wide popularity. There is also a wholesale department, which is located under the main floor, with a wide marble stairway entrance on Twelfth street, and family trade is a feature of this department. The rapid advance in the amount of business done by Mr. Hanrahan demonstrates the high esteem in which he is held by the community who have had dealings with him, the gentleman has always made it a motto to dispense the best at all times at the bar, and in both the wholesale and retail departments.

PRIVATE DISEASES New old, acute or chronic, such as Gonorrhoea, Discharges, Frequency of Urinating, Pain and Burning; also new Sores and Ulcers, Swelling; all three stages cured quickly and secretly to stay cured.

STRUCTURE cured where many other doctors have

OAKLAND HARBOR NEWS

The following are the arrivals and departures during the past twenty-four hours:

ARRIVALS.

- Star Santa Margarita, 250 M. feet lumber.
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- Star Claremont, Captain Weiberg, from San Francisco; 150 M. feet lumber.
- Star Vanguard, 225 tons, Captain Odland, from Europe; 120 M. feet lumber.
- Long Wharf.
- Star Quaint, 225 tons, Captain Christensen, from Grays Harbor; 200 M. feet lumber.
- Star Vanguard, 225 tons, Captain Odland, from Europe; 120 M. shingles.
- Star Random, 250 tons, Captain Jensen.

FINANCIERS SEE CHEERING SIGNS

Underlying Conditions Sound in This Country and Business is Mending.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Encouraging evidence of the sound conditions prevailing throughout the United States continues. Cheering signs at the financial exchanges quickly are also in evidence. The East is feeling the force of the wave which struck here a month ago. Time money contracts are again being made, time rates are again being paid, and the equally popular and reassuring American Smelting and American Sugar selling from 1% to 1½% below yesterday's closing. Very little was left over in the market, and the American Smelting and American Sugar, and the American Zinc and St. Paul and Missouri Pacific sold fractionally below last night. Canadian Pacific, Delaware and Hudson and Colorado Southern preferred rose 2% and Pacific Mail 2%.

HENRY CLEWS HAS FINANCIAL PLAN

Says It Would Work Like Bank of England's Backlog Method.

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WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The stock market opened steady and action with a heavy demand for the principal railroad stocks. A block of 9,000 shares of Union Pacific sold at from \$11½ to 11¾%, compared with 11½%, yesterday's close. Readily moved up 1% to 1½% to 10¾%, to 10¾% and sold up to 10¾%.

May oats opened unchanged to a shade higher, over 2 points higher. The Hill stocks were up 1% to 1½% and sold up to 10¾%.

May corn opened 15¢ to 17½% higher at 10¾ to 15¾.

May wheat was 7½ to 10% higher at \$8.02½ to 8½.

Ribes were up 10¢ at 72½.

WHEAT PITS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Wheat today was lower and rather weak. May opened 15¢ to 17½% lower at \$8.02½ to 8½.

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CHICAGO WHEAT CLOSE.

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cash, \$1.8500; 30. Large yellow.

MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Money on call firm, 40¢ per cent; 10 days, 4½%; 30 days, 5%; 60 days, 5½%; 90 days, 6%; 120 days, 6½%; 150 days, 7%; 180 days, 7½%; 210 days, 8%; 240 days, 8½%; 270 days, 9%; 300 days, 9½%; 330 days, 10%; 360 days, 10½%; 450 days, 11%; 540 days, 11½%; 630 days, 12%; 720 days, 12½%; 810 days, 13%; 900 days, 13½%; 1,080 days, 14%; 1,260 days, 14½%; 1,440 days, 15%; 1,620 days, 15½%; 1,800 days, 16%; 1,980 days, 16½%; 2,160 days, 17%; 2,340 days, 17½%; 2,520 days, 18%; 2,700 days, 18½%; 2,880 days, 19%; 3,060 days, 19½%; 3,240 days, 20%; 3,420 days, 20½%; 3,600 days, 21%; 3,780 days, 21½%; 3,960 days, 22%; 4,140 days, 22½%; 4,320 days, 23%; 4,500 days, 23½%; 4,680 days, 24%; 4,860 days, 24½%; 5,040 days, 25%; 5,220 days, 25½%; 5,400 days, 26%; 5,580 days, 26½%; 5,760 days, 27%; 5,940 days, 27½%; 6,120 days, 28%; 6,300 days, 28½%; 6,480 days, 29%; 6,660 days, 29½%; 6,840 days, 30%; 7,020 days, 30½%; 7,200 days, 31%; 7,380 days, 31½%; 7,560 days, 32%; 7,740 days, 32½%; 7,920 days, 33%; 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39,460 days, 141%; 39,640 days, 141½%; 39,820 days, 142%; 39,100 days, 142½%; 39,280 days, 143%; 39,460 days, 143½%; 39,640 days, 144%; 39,820 days, 144½%; 39,100 days, 145%; 39,280 days, 145½%; 39,460 days, 146%; 39,640 days, 146½%; 39,820 days, 147%; 39,100 days, 147½%; 39,280 days, 148%; 39,460 days, 148½%; 39,640 days, 149%; 39,820 days, 149½%; 39,100 days, 150%; 39,280 days, 150½%; 39,460 days, 151%; 39,640 days, 151½%; 39,820 days, 152%; 39,100 days, 152½%; 39,280 days, 153%; 39,460 days, 153½%; 39,640 days, 154%; 39,820 days, 154½%; 39,100 days, 155%; 39,280 days, 155½%; 39,460 days, 156%; 39,640 days, 156½%; 39,820 days, 157%; 39,100 days, 157½%; 39,280 days, 158%; 39,460 days, 158½%; 39,640 days, 159%; 39,820 days, 159½%; 39,100 days, 160%; 39,280 days, 160½%; 39,460 days, 161%; 39,640 days, 161½%; 39,820 days, 162%; 39,100 days, 162½%; 39,280 days, 163%; 39,460 days, 163½%; 39,640 days, 164%; 39,820 days, 164½%; 39,100 days, 165%; 39,280 days, 165½%; 39,460 days, 166%; 39,640 days, 166½%; 39,820 days, 167%; 39,100 days, 167½%; 39,280 days, 168%; 39,460 days, 168½%; 39,640 days, 169%; 39,820 days, 169½%; 39,100 days, 170%; 39,280 days, 170½%; 39,460 days, 171%; 39,640 days, 171½%; 39,820 days, 172%; 39,100 days, 172½%; 39,280 days, 173%; 39,460 days, 173½%; 39,640 days, 174%; 39,820 days, 174½%; 39,100 days, 175%; 39,280 days, 175½%; 39,460 days, 176%; 39,640 days, 176½%; 39,820 days, 177%; 39,100 days, 177½%; 39,280 days, 178%; 39,460 days, 178½%; 39,640 days, 179%; 39,820 days, 179½%; 39,100 days, 180%; 39,280 days, 180½%; 39,460 days, 181%; 39,640 days, 181½%; 39,820 days, 182%; 39,100 days, 182½%; 39,280 days, 183%; 39,460 days, 183½%; 39,640 days, 184%; 39,820 days, 184½%; 39,100 days, 185%; 39,280 days, 185½%; 39,460 days, 186%; 39,640 days, 186½%; 39,820 days, 187%; 39,100 days, 187½%; 39,280 days, 188%; 39,460 days, 188½%; 39,640 days, 189%; 39,820 days, 189½%; 39,100 days, 190%; 39,280 days, 190½%; 39,460 days, 191%; 39,640 days, 191½%; 39,820 days, 192%; 39,100 days, 192½%; 39,280 days, 193%; 39,460 days, 193½%; 39,640 days, 194%; 39,820 days, 194½%; 39,100 days, 195%; 39,280 days, 195½%; 39,460 days, 196%; 39,640 days, 196½%; 39,820 days, 197%; 39,100 days, 197½%; 39,280 days, 198%; 39,460 days, 198½%; 39,640 days, 199%; 39,820 days, 199½%; 39,100 days, 200%; 39,280 days, 200½%; 39,460 days, 201%; 39,640 days, 201½%; 39,820 days, 202%; 39,100 days, 202½%; 39,280 days, 203%; 39,460 days, 203½%; 39,640 days, 204%; 39,820 days, 204

